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**FARM BUREAU NOTES** 

A Book I Am Reading.

The fact that Denmark is now pro

to one hundred twenty-five million dollars. Such figures can be ex-plained only by a rapidly growing knowledge of agriculture and a scien-

tific handling and marketing of the products—all of which has come to Denmark thru a system of schools

particularly adapted to the needs of the farmers. (Please note this, and decide for yourself how much our riral schools do to fit country children

for high class country life.)

There was a time in Denmark when everybody seemed to want to leave the farm and go to the city; but this

is stopped because of more prosperity and contentment that has come to the rural districts. Old Denmark is be-

ing made over by tre industry of mar

Great windbrakes have been planted to check the northwest winds. Vas plantations of evergreens and decid

uous trees are reclaiming waste land where nothing valuable grew before. The very waters from inland, bores are utilized to irrigate the upland

meadows are kept in high state of production thru careful tilling and fer-tilization. (Note that,) All barnyard manures are carefully saved and used.

(Note that too.) Great quantities of

by electricity generated

power.

The Danish farmer has solved both the production and the distribution side of his agriculture. The school teaches a mutual trust and confidence

which have made it possible to develo

which have made it possible to develop
co-operative associations.

No one thing has played a greater
part in raising Denmark from being
down and out ass she once was, to agricultural prosperity than has the spirit
of co-operation that prevails on every
side. In that little country is quarter

side. In that little country, a quarte

the size of Michigan, there were several years ago, 1400 co-operative stores with several hundred thousand

members. There were also, many as-sociations for purchasing feeds, tools and fertilizers.
This little kingdom boasts many co-

operative bacon factories owned by the farmers themselves, and to which practically every farmer belongs. (Remember that the main things the

Danish farmer now sells is bacon, eggs, and butter.) They all belong whether he is a small holder and produces only half a dozen pigs a year or a big estate owner producing three to four hundred.

Every pig killed for export is carefully inspected by government yeter-

fully inspected by government veter-inarians, and must be absolutely free from every trace of disease or it can-

not receive the red government exporstamp.
All this work of preparing pork pro

ducts for the markets from raising the pig to selling it in London, is done-by farmers trained in special courses in the rural schools.

Even the exportation of eggs has

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R. D. BAILRY County Agricultural Agent

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### PARAGRAPHS CON-CERNING MICHIGAN

Lansing, Mich. Dec. 4.—Value of confiscated automobiles and firearms, take: at the Straits of Mackinaw by state game wardens during the deer season will run very close to \$20,000. take: at the Straits of Mackinaw by state game wardens during the deer season will run very close to \$20,00c.

This booty will probably be sold at public auction following court condemnations. The confiscated goods belonged to deer hunters who were trying to smuggle deer across the straits. One bus, worth \$3,000, was seized. In it were many deer and partridges.

As a result, the spectacle of the last minute rush of former years, with its attendant heartbreaking labor on the part of wearied and nerve worn store clerks and postal employees, was avoided.

This year Postmasteer General New and First Assistant Postmaster General John H. Bartlett have determined to make an even better record and banjake in the for all time the suffering under-

It costs in Michigan \$76.64 per year to educate a child in the public schools.

There were 350 cases of abandont ment of wife and children in Michigan during the first six months of the present year. Of these cases 121 of the culprits were prosecuted, six acquitted, 128 cases were dismissed when reconciliation was effected, and but 56 escaped.

Michigan during the last biennial period has collected \$35,000 in fees for reimbursement of the state in the care of insane persons confined in state in-

Twenty fortune tellers were arrested in Michigan the first six months of this year and 16 were convicted, two acquitted, one was discharged and the other jumped a bond and escaped.

Charles Peterson, chief fire warden replying to a request from the government, says he estimates it will cost \$120,250 a year for adequate forest fire protection. State now spends \$225,000 a year.

A gasoline water pump, manned by two men, capable of lifting water 80 feet and throwing a stream 1,800 feet, proved effective this fall in com-

Two hundred eighty requisitions for persons accused of crime and arrested in other states have been signed by the governor during his last two years

Three cases of mayhem—in which evening December 18th. fistic combatants bite off an ear or Watch for further particulars next sary—were prosecuted in Michigan this year.

State will make an effort to keep
M-14 open as far as Harrison this winter. A fleet of rotary snow plows and tractors will be used in fighting snow payment of taxes. C. S. BARBER, 12-4-3 Treas. Frederic Township

POSTMASTER GENERAL SAYS TO MAIL XMAS PACKAGES EARLY.

peration of the press, the movies and other advertising mediums, Chfistmas wailers were induced to dispatch their Yuletide presents earlier in the month than ever before in the history of the institution of gift exchanging in the holiday season

As a result, the spectacle of the last

many deer and Michigan's largest and most disastrous fires in cut over and timbered districts have occurred during the months of October and November.

The United States government is planning the erection in Michigan of an experimental station in the interests of forestry. This Station will be located in the cut over lands in the vicinity of Houghton Lake.

Assistant Postmaster General New Make an even better record and banish for all time the suffering undersiant for all time the s

success last year it was noted that the iast-minute mail consisted largely of cards. Possibly many of them were returned greetings to friends, heard from on a previous mail but overlooked on the original Christmas list. Untille parcels and letters containing money orders, cards, of course, cannot well be marked "Do not open until Christmas." Therefore, it is possible that the many mailers hold them until he last to insure delivery on Christmas eve. This class of mailers this year, however, niay find their cards undelivered until after Christmas day. Believing that the energies of post-

indelivered until after Christinas us, Believing that the energies of post-til employees, should not be sapped to the last degree for any avoidable reason, and, intent upon securing for them the same Christinas privileges enjoyed. y others, Postmaster New asks the carty co-operation of the public. The ast minute hour has been moved up to that all postal employees may eat their Christmas dinners at home. Rural carriers will deliver no mail at all on Christmas day and clerks and carriers in the city offices will stop work

SO. MICH. COUNTIES BOOST N.-E MICH. RESORTS.

A call for a joint meeting of the executive committees of the North-Castern Michigan Development bu-Eastern Michigan Development Du-reau and the East Michigan Tourist association to be held at Flint, Dec. 10th. It is expected that the meeting feet, proved effective this fall in combatting forest fires in Michigan. More will be installed.

Non-residents fishing in Michigan this year spent \$150,000 for licenses, John Baird reports.

The state ferry at Mackinaw city this year has doubled its passenger traffic over last. east section of the state and this presages that 1925 will result in the greatest influx of tourists and resort-Conservation officials declare that two-thirds of the forest fire loss in Michigan is due to improper and unnecessary "back-firing."

Gov. Groesbeck is considering the feasability of having the Conservation department use two or four airplanes in forest fire prevention next year. A fleet of four ships, to cost \$1,500 each, and operating expenses in all respects, would mean but an expenditure of \$18,500 per year, advocates say.

CHRISTMAS CAROL PROGRAM.

There will be a Christmas Carol program, given by the First sixth grades of the public school at the High School auditorium Thursday

Everyone is

NOTICE.

### CONGRESS MEETS IN SHORT SESSION

APPROPRIATION BILLS WILL BE FIRST IN ORDER ON CALENDAR.

### LA FOLLETTE PARTY READ OUT

Republicans Eject Members Who Were Affiliated With Insurgent Movement.

Washington-The 68th congress has onvened in its final session. During the three months which remain be fore its life terminates on March 4 the annual appropriation bills will be bassed, some legislation hanging over from the last session will be finally disposed of, and some consideration will be given to highly controversial neasures which have little chance of

nactment The La Folistie radical Republican group retains its balance of power in houses. Action of the Republican senators in reading out of the party the four members identified with the Le Follette presidential candidacy has served to fan the flames of discord and a lively time is in prospect.

Senator Robert M. La Follette, of Wisconsin, who bolted his party to become the independent candidate for president, and who long has been a thorn in the side of the Republican senate organisation, virtually was read out of the party last week at a conference of senate Republicans

Named with him in a formal res olution, barring him from further con erences of Republicans of the senat and from appointment to committee acancles that may arise in the future were Senators (add and Fragier, o North Dakots, and Brookhart, of Iows.

### KORETZ BARES FAKE OIL SCHEME

Telle Prosecutor Crows How Friends Were Bliked for Millions

Chicago-Leo Keretz, who fled from tion of the \$8,000,690 that friends relatives and sequaintances had begged him to invest for them in fake Panama oil scheme, known st the Bayano Oil Bubble, who was arrested last week in Halifax, has conlessed his method of promotion to State's Attorney Robert E. Crowe which caused the money to flow in so fast that he often took the cash of his friends and realtives under pro-

Eighteen years ago, Koretz told Crowe, a friend who had performed some service for the government of Panama was given some land there and succeeded in interesting Koretz, the latter inducing some of his friends, to invest \$10,000 in the pro-

The customers, however, were no readily attracted. Koretz told Crowe and in order to increase business Koretz announced the discovery

First his deals netted him only \$1,000, he said, but with the "oil dis-covery" they jumped to \$5,000, and soon money was coming in so tast he found difficulty in keeping customers away. During his 18 years of opera tions, he said he took in only \$2,000

Chief of U. S. Engineers Recommends Improvement of Waterways

Washington — Recommendations that \$71,804,890 be appropriated for river and harbor improvement work during the coming year appropriations which have in the past called forth endless battles in congress over so-called "pork barrel legislation"— of over \$76,000,800 during the Bessl year just ended are contained in the number of the state of th just ended are contained in the annual report of the chief of engineers United States army, made public by the war department.

The allotments recommended include \$490,000 for Michigan river and harbor improvements. Allotments, under the program, would be made as

Keweenaw waterway, \$179,000; St. Clair river, \$60,000; channels in Lake St. Clair, \$20,080; Detroit river, \$20, 000; Cheloygan Harbor, \$5,000; Sag inaw river, \$80,000; St. Mary's river, \$25,000; Black Myer, \$2,000; Rouge river, \$10,000 and Monroe Harbor

### DE LAND SEEKS AUTO TAG LOAN

Asks Governor To Approve Plan To Ald Car Bealers and Buyers

Lansing - Secretary of State Charles J. DeLand has asked Gov ernor Groesbeck's approvat of a plan to help automobile dealers speed up their December business. The state's has made December deliveries impossible, it is said.

Deland asked the governor to prove the issuing or leaning of 1924 plates to new automobile purchasers, so that their machines will not be idle during December. There would be no charge until the 1835 plates are substituted January 1. The governor is expected to approve the missaure

# MICHIGAN'S NEWEST

STATE OPENS NEW PARK AT HIGGINS LAKE.

Michigan's newest state park is located on the south shore of Higgins Lake. The State Conservation commission at its meeting Tuesday, No. ember 25,ad opted for improvement the state's holdings in Sylvan Beach.

big thing for Roscommon county and other sections of the state but it neans much to tourists generally who hrough the action by the state commission will be enabled to vacation on one of Michigan's most beautiful lakes. The park may be easily reached by tourists over a gravel road from Roscommon, a distance of about eight miles, or from M-14 over a pictursque trail around the east side of Houghton Lake, also a distance of eight miles.

I am reading a very interesting book that contains many lessons for us relative to managing our farms and what to teach in our schools. The Book is entitled "Rural Denmark and its Schools." The book was written only seven years ago by a man who spent a long time in Denmark invessouth end of the lake. Its shores are white sand, devoid of mud, weeds and Statements following are taken stone, thus bathing accommodations offered are unusually fine.

ducing great crops from the land is not because of any fresh, virgin fer-tility; but because of the use of a P. J. Hoffmaster, superintendent of state parks, declares the new park possesses one of the most magnificent sites in Michigan and asserts that it is destined to become one of the most popular vacation spots in the country. broad, general intelligence in the work of building up a naturally poor soil, forcing it to produce more and more. The climate, while never extremely cold is raw and inhospitable the greater part of the year, due to damp, chilly winds that blow almost all the time from the ocean. As a result cattle. He predicts that within a couple of years the park will be visited by 25, 000 yearly. Work of improving the property will commence at an early from the ocean. As a result cattle

T. F. Marston, of the Development bureau and of the Tourist associanust be stall fed nine months of the In less than two generations a poor agricultural system has been changed to best in Europe.

The soil has been made to produce tion, who is also a member of the Conservation commission, expresses satisfaction in this latest acquisition to the state parks in Eastern Michiabundantly and these products are placed on the world's markets by the farmers themselves thru co-operative

The new park will not only be a

The baby among Michigan's State Parks is beautiful, situated on the

from the book:

Denmark is about one quarter the size of Michigan. Composed of one prominent peninsula and more than .00 islands. Noted for its low rise above sea level, average elevation being only 95 feet. Surface soil on the whole is light and in some regions yery poor. The tract comprises about 110 acres of beautifully wooded land with a frontage on the lake of approximately 2600 feet. A number of small lots in the plat are held by individuals. It is hoped an effort will be made by the state to purchase or secure those by exchange in order to make the tract a solid plat.

Efforts to secure the adoption of olaced on the world's markets by the farmers themselves thru co-operative associations.

Just before they began to work thru co-operative associations the amount of the three main things they export—butter, bacon and eggs—was twelve million dollars. Thru co-operative million dollars. Thru co-operative is now known as Gerrish Park.

CHICAGO MAN BUYS BIG TRACT ON HOUGHTON LAKE.

One of the biggest deals in resort operty recently was consummated when E. C. Poppelton, of Houghton Lare, sold his lake shore holdings, comprising 1,438 acres, to Frank R. Johnson of Chicago, Mr. Johnson is second vice president of the Grennan Bakeries, Inc., of Detroit and Pittsburg.



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HAVE SOME OF STRONGEST TEAMS IN STATE BOOKED FOR GAMES.

burg,

The American Legion basket ball team, heretofore known as the Grayling Independents will open the seaboth sides of M-14 between Idlewild son tomorrow night, when they play the Mancelona Independents on the home floor.

resort at Prudenville and Houghton Beach, having approximately two miles of lake frontage, including Denton Point. The property is still in its wild state and is without buildings or improvements of any kind. Because of its ideal location, it is expected that a huge resort will be developed there in the near future.

The locals have been practicing for the past few weeks and are in fine trim for their initial game. All of the old stars of last year are back in the lineup and this alone assures local fans some more thrills again this year in basketball. On their schedule's of ar games have been practicing for the past few weeks and are in fine trim for their initial game. All of the old stars of last year are back in the lineup and this alone assures local fans some more thrills again this year in basketball. On their schedule's of ar games have been practicing for the past few weeks and are in fine trim for their initial game. All of the old stars of last year are back in the lineup and this alone assures local fans some more thrills again this year in basketball. On their schedule's of ar games Alfred Hanson is in touch with the Silver Grays of Bay City, Onaway and Caro to secure.

iates.
Attend the opening game and see the local favorites in action again.

### THE SUNSHINE MISSION.

"The Redeeming Love Sunshine Mission" will have meetings as usual on Sunday, December 7th. Sunday school at 10:00 a.m.

We wish to give a hearty invitation to one and all. The Sunshine mission will give a religious program on Christmas. The date will be announced lates. ced later. Contributed.



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with a useful gift that will bring years of joy. Present your family with these magic keys to

happiness on Christmas morning—the keys to a Studebaker Special Six Sedan.

Here is a car your family will be proud to own — a car that looks and rides luxuriously.

A car of imposing beauty—richly finished and fitted—with genuine mohair upholstery and appointments of the very finest quality.

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Make this Christmas one that will be remem bered. Put the keys to a Studebaker Special Six Sedan on your tree. We will gladly have the car delivered to your door on Christmas morning. But come in and make arrangements now.

Studebaker October sales exceeded in value those of any other automobile manufacturer in the world except Ford. Harry E. Simpson

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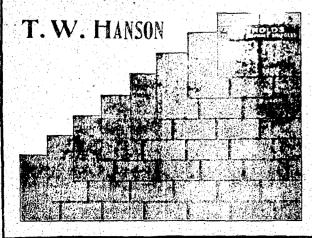
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### THIS WOMAN RELIEVED FROM SUFFERING

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hasdonesomuchgood to me. I had cramps and faint spells and very bad pains. One

and faint spells and very bad pains. One day I was over to my neighbor's houseand she told me I ought totake Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Sol went to the store on my way home and got a bottle; and took the first dose before supper. I have been taking it ever since, and you can hardly believe how different I feel. I had just wanted to lie in bed all the time, and when I started to brush up I would give out in about ten minutea. So you know how badly I felt. I used to go to bed at eight and get up at seven, still tired. Now I can work all day and stay up until eleven, and feel all right all the time. My housework is all I do in summer, but in winter I work in a factory. I have told a good many of my friends, and I have had three come to me and tell me they wouldn't do without the Vegetable Compound."

—Mrs. Samuel Murphy, 219 Cecil St., Dover; Delaware.



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### Neither

She-Who's that fraternity brother of yours from Chicago? He-You mean Smith?

She-No. He-Brown? He\_Brown?

She-I said "no"! He-Well, there's two Browns. 1 thought it might be the other one .-

There is a freight elevator in a New England factory that has been running for a century without an acci-

### IF MOTHERS ONLY KNEW



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### So to Speak

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# THE AMERICAN

#### "FIGHTING JOE" IS NATIONAL CHAPLAIN

"Fighting Joe" is the title which has been bestowed by general consent on Rev. Joseph Lonergan of Durand, Ill., recently elected national chaplain of the American Legion, And the title is not alry tinsel, either. It has a background. background.

For it harks back to kid days when

as a boy with two fists who knew how to use them and Father Joe sometimes found employment for them in ways other than earning them in ways other than earning money by working on railroad tracks to go to college. The story goes back to the time when he was a famous football star, "the miracle halfback" at St. Vlator's college.

The nickname recalls a baseball career culminating in a batting average for his last year of 448 rather a higher his last year of 448 rather his last year of

for his last year of .448, rather a big league average. It carries a picture of Father Joe, the ecclesiastical student at Montreal, tying up his priestly soutane above his knees and sliding bases like Ty Cobb. It is remi-niscent of the young priest at Aurora, Ill., who appeared in the pulpit one day with a bulging black eye—fruit
of too strenuous endeavors to show



Rev. Joseph Lonergan.

his eighth-graders in the school league he organized how to take 'em hot off the bat.

Then comes the time when Father Joe took up his work with the Eightysixth division organizing at Camp Grant, He was without military status and without salary, but he carried on. While there he lectured to all officers at Camp Grant on the ne cessity of religion. Shortly afterward he got a commission as first lieutenant chaplain, and began his extraordinary activity in the fighting game. It was he who spoke at Camp Grant's greatest day, July 4, 1918, when he addressed 50,000 of the division gathered there. A sentence stood out, which was flashed over the country: "A man never became a man until

he got a good punch on the nose."

Then the Argonne and the Vosges. Father Joe says that when the shooting was close be became Dugout Joe, but the boys don't say that. They think he's all man. The chaplain reorganized a hand for the Twelfth en-"the hand with a personality," chosen by the French mission to accompany them when they took over Alsace and Strassburg from the Germans. He was transferred to the and remained with them until he was discharged. Membership in the American Legion followed soon and then his election as department chaplain for Illinois in 1922. In 1924 he was unanimously named national chaplain. That's the story of "Fightin' Joe" Lonergan. whose record at the front with the men endeared him to all veterans and makes him a very popular "padre."

#### Legion Posts Aim to Cut Down Fire Loss

"The source of America's largest and nost preventable waste is fires, and American Legion posts and departments throughout the country are taking up the problem with an aim to appreciably cut down the loss annually of millions of dollars from fire," de clared Legionnaire J. H. Dulaney. He and W. S. Atkinson are heading the department of Oklahoma's move for fire prevention. Both are leaders in the Oklahoma Fire Prevention assopartment of California, has been active in fire prevention in the redwood forests on the coast the past year.

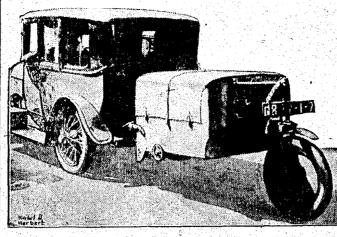
### Prize for Student

It's time to reward the studious lad Ith the bulging cerebrum, as well as the campus hero of bulging biceps, decided the A. A. Mountain post of the American Legion of McMechen, W. Va. Accordingly, they offered a substantial cash prize to the high school student whose scholarship record is best during

### New Jersey Post Honored

A 100 per cent citation for merito rious service in behalf of ex-service nten and their dependents was the award given North Bergen (N. J., post of the American Legion and aux-Illiary by the state department re-North Bergen post has long been active in hospitalization, but its achievements were unheralded and ob scured until their activities in welfare became so outstanding that word of them drifted to department head

### INGENIOUS TRAILER TO CARRY THE LUGGAGE



From Dinard, France, comes this ingenious trailer for carrying luggage. One requires no strong imagination to visualize the number of uses to which the trailer can be put—we can see it being used extensively by campers, tour-lsts and week-enders, to mention only a few.

Refilling Pressure Type

of Grease Gun Is Easy

Refilling the pressure type of grease gun, such as is used in conjunction

with modern lubrication systems on

lutomobiles, is a slow and tedious pro-

cedure as well as disagreeable be-

cause of the amount of grease that is

deposited on the hands during the

An improved method of filling, which

was devised by a Washington (D. C.) motorist, is illustrated. It is simple

enough to warrant adoption by any

motorist who objects to having to fill

the gun with his fingers or a stick,

The filler is simple, a flat strip of

sheet metal, fitted with a wooden han

Cheaply Made Filler Saves Time

Charging a Pressure Gun

dle on the upper end. The blade part

passes through a slot in a cap that is

of the right size to fit the grease-gun

barrel. The handle, blade, and cap

may be made of any available materials such as a file handle, a strip of

galvanized iron, and a metal can top. In operation the filler is inserted in

the can of grease and turned continu-ously while it is being pulled out. The

grease in the shape of a cylinder adheres to the sides of the strip. The

leaving the contents inside the gun.-Popular Science Monthly.

There are few things more annoying to the motorist than a missing, skip-

ping motor. Besides the certainty that this condition is imposing a se-

rious strain upon the engine, clutch, transmission and the rest of the pro-

pelling system of the car, due to the

irregularity of the power impulses, it

means increased gasoline and oil consumption and carbonized cylinders.

Too frequently motorists are prone to

uspect the carburetor and start to

tinker with the adjustments, when, as

a mutter of fact, there is nothing the matter with the mixture. The whole

trouble may be due to uneven spark gaps, caused either by bending the

electrodes unintentionally in removing

in replacing them, or by the points becoming pitted to such an extent that

the gap is materially widened. By

spacing the gap so that there is a space of one thirty-second of an

Dangers of Carbon Monoxide

One of the dangers not commonly known to automobile owners is that

from carbon monoxide, a deadly gas

given off from the exhaust pipe. Be-

cause of the fact that many automo-

bile campers build their tent as a part

of their automobile, they should know

the danger that exists from this odor-

less, colorless gas. Never run the en-

gine of your automobile without mak-

ing sure that you are receiving plenty

of fresh air. The best rule to follow

is never to run the engine in any in-

An Improvised Pipe Vise

A pipe cannot be held securely in the ordinary type of bench vise, as

the jaws permit only a single line con-tact on each side of the pipe. By

using a monkey wrench, with the jaws

placed along the axis of the pipe, the

effect produced is almost the same as

that of a pipe vise. The wrench should be set so that it bears on the

pipe only on the edges of the laws.

Make Ring Spreader

An efficient piston ring spreader can be made from one-quarter-inch round

stock with one half of each plece ham-

mered flut and the ends bent, says the

Automobile Digest. The two ends are

soited or riveted together and when

inserted in the ring slot will permit

spreading the ring so that it can be

removed over the head of the piston

closed place, for any length of time.

be quickly and easily corrected.

and Jerking of Motors

**Bad Plugs Cause Missing** 

and is also a quicker method.

### **ROAD COURTESY IS** OFTEN NEGLECTED

### Many Little Things Make Motor Traveling Most Difficult on Highways.

By ERWIN GREER, President Greer Col-When you are driving along a road and someone approaching from behind sounds his horn to pass, let him do so. Many times when driving along the highway you may have noticed drivers give the signal to the car ahead and

try to pass only to have the car on the right hand side speed up. Jangle's Driver's Nerves. It certainly jangles a drivers' nerves when he finds the car shead speeding up when he attempts to go by. There is no excuse for this sort of thing. If you want to pass, why should the man on the right step on the throttle

and attempt to block you?

There is plenty of courtesy to be observed on the road besides mere the If we were more thoughtful of the other fellow, motoring would be a lot more pleasant. Not Watching Road.

The other day a motorist reported that he was coming from Gary and was crossing the railroad tracks in South Chicago. There is a right angle turn there, and it is dangerous unless low speed is maintained. . Coming around the turn a boy was observed driving a delivery wagon. He was taking about all the room to be had on the highway and when this motorist looked at him he found the chap was busily engaged in reading a letter and was not watching the road at all.

It is just such things as this instance that makes motor traveling hard and troublesome. If motorists would drive sanely there would be fewer dis-asters on the highways.

### Remove Scratches From Car Body With Shellac

A car owner naturally takes pride in the finish of a new car and endeavors to retain its mirror-like luster as long as possible. But when work must be done on the car the finish often suffers. Often a button will scratch its way along a fender or the slip-ping of a screwdriver will leave an unsightly blemish. A method which has often given satisfaction, says the Automobile Digest, is to apply several cours of thin shellac until the scratch has been completely filled. When the last cont has dried it is rubbed with crocus cloth and a little olive oil, just enough to rub out the ridges where the new and old coats join.

Crocus cloth, used extensively by or cleaning the plugs, and sometime jewelers, is a polishing cloth of a in replacing them, or by the point much finer grade than the finest emery e oth and will rub down a surface without the semblance of a scratch. After no signs remain of where the two coats join, a rub-down with a good hody polish will render the touch-up of the two points this condition may inconspicuous and restore the surface to its orginal appearance.

### Plan to Keep Windshield

Clear in Moist Weather It is always annoying when at the last moment one is in a hurry to take up a meal or coming from outinto a warmer temperature, to find the lenses of one's glasses suddenly clouded with steam.

Prevent this by washing the glasses perfectly clean. Dry them on a soft cloth, and then rub with a cloth which. has been moistened with a very small amount of paraffin oil. All that is needed is the thinnest film to coat the surface, yet not enough to attract dust. This coating prevents the moisture touching the glass. It is convenient to have a cloth ready prepared. The same plan is excellent to keen the windshield of the automobile clear in damp weather.

### Carbon and Compression

European automobile race drivers experimenting with pistons that are raised and rounded at the top. They call this doming the pistons and find that it increases compression and power by forcing the gas vapor to ocsmaller space when comcupy a pressed. This is exactly what happens in the average motor (only on a smaller scale) when carbon cakes on the piston tops. But the carbon preignites the gas and thus wastes power. Knocking proves it.

### Automobile Hints

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Condenser or coil should be replaced if weak. Don't wait till you're caught on a rainy night 10 miles from the nearest garage. . . .

At the present rate there ought to be room for an exclusive organization composed of drivers who have not been arrested for speeding.

Drivers when approaching or enter ng a curve, highway intersection or function or coming to the top of a hill, if roadway is obscured, should use sound signal effectively and go slowly.

A driver of a car should always keep his eyes straight ahead when driving forward and look back when in reverse. He should be on the constant lookout for traffic coming from side streets, which may block his

### AN IMPORTANT TASK

There is no doubt that for the best results the dairy herd should be "home grown." Of course, there is a limit to the possibility of doing this, for it is necessary to get out into the market to make the start. The point which is to be emphasized, however, is that you know just what you have when you raise your own cows. By careful selec-tion, the herd can be built into a production unit of the highest efficiency Moreover, every care may be taken to insure the maximum development of the helfers. When one considers the important part in the development of the herd played by the development of the calf he realizes that the subject of caring for his calves is one of the very nighest importance.

The first attention should be to the renatal care of the calf. Before ever the calf is born much may be done to either help or hinder its development into a valuable animal. The cow should always have at least six weeks or two months rest before she freshens By drying her off this long before calving you are able to give her digestive system a rest and she can be better prepared for the work she must do during the ensuing year. The importance of this rest period is not appreclated by many people.

During the rest period, before partu-rition, the cow requires only such food as will maintain her in topnotch condi-Of course, assurance must be had that the unborn calf is obtaining the required nourishment. Cooling, laxative feed-stuffs should be supplied. Only the grain necessary to proper maintenance should be fed. The best grains for use as occasion demands are bran and some oats. If the cow is much below condition, you may feed a very little corn. If it is absolutely necessary to build up the cow's condition by feeding corn or other fattening and heating feeds, build up gradually.

If it is possible for the cow to be on pasture, conditions will be much more conducive to the welfare of both cow and calf. Little other feed than that obtained from the pasture itself will be required. In the winter, corn sliage will best provide the bulk of the feed, together with plenty of clover, alfalfa or other legume hay. The winter ration should be supplemented by grain. Even in the winter avoid the use of corn and feeds which are binding to a greater or less degree. Timothy and cottonseed meal are examples of these undesirable feeds. For a ration dur-ing the rest period, if it comes in the winter, use some such combination as ground oats, three parts; wheat bran,

two parts, oil meal, one part.

A few days before the calf is born, the feed should still be further reduced filler then is placed in the grease gun, the cap is pushed down over the barand special attention paid to preserving the laxative conditions. rel, and the blade is slipped out, thus Immediately after freshening the

cow should begin to receive a larger amount of feed until in a month or so she is on full rations.-Successful Farming.

### Frequent Milking for

rious periods.

Increased Production In the Journal of Dairy Science appears a study by Professors Ragsdale, Turner and Brody, of the University of Missouri, on milk production and the effect thereon of milking at va-

Four cows were used in the experi-ment and they were milked at intervals ranging from one to thirty-six hours. The deductions are that the oftener the cow was milked the greater would be her total production, or to ase the words of the authors. "the greater the amount of milk accumu lated in the udder, or the longer the Interval between milkings, the less the speed of milk secretion in unit time. If the production of milk during the first hour be taken as 100 per cent, the rate of secretion during each succeedof the preceding hour. Therefore, if a cow produced 17.2 pounds milk when milked twice daily, if milked three times daily she would produce 18.9 pounds, and if milked four times daily

the amount would be 20 pounds.

Cows milked three times daily would produce 110 per cent of the amount they produced when milked twice a day, and if milked three times daily they would produce 116 per cent of the amount they produced on twice-a-day milking.

### How to Remove Warts

To remove warts from a calf tie a string around the warts as close to the hide as possible. This will sever them in a short time. Masses of warts may be removed by rubbing castor on them twice a day. Those that do not respond to this greasing should be touched with dilute nitric acid, after applying lard to the surrounding skin to protect it from the acid.

### Feed for Dairy Cows

All the feeds ordinarily grown on the farm have an ample supply of carbohydrates, while nearly all are short in protein. When clover or alfalfa hay is available for roughage, rations composed of either, in nation with farm grains, may be adjusted to the needs of cows, but with other roughage, such as marsh hay, prairie hay, timothy, millet, sorghum, fodder corn, stover, and straw, some concentrate with a high protein content must be added to the ration.

### What Causes Milk to Sour

The souring of milk is caused by the action of bacteria in breaking down the milk sugar into lactic acid. The presence of larger numbers of bacteria hastens the souring process. These bacteria usually enter the milk through the dust of the air and by dropping from the external parts of the cow's body during the process of milking. However, one can expect about the same amount from each cow.

Keep milk, feed and breeding rec-

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### Curious

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Joan-Oh, and who was the other ne?--London Opinion.

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"Well, in a criminal court he had to send people to jail. In the divorce court he gives them their liberty." Minneapolis Tribune.



### Patching Things Up

Mandy and her husband had been "Hasn't your husband tried to get you to patch things up and be friendly

again?" asked a neighbor one day "Man," replied Mandy, "account of havin' to patch things up all de time was de main reason I left."-Every-

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# JOSSELYN'S

By KATHLEEN NORRIS

#### CHAPTER VIII-Continued ---11---

"Lillian's going to that dinner at the Plaza-Mrs. Wallace. Your father begged off, but she says she has to go," Ellen reminded him.

on, so she is! And she stays over the studio of the car, I may keep Torrens in, face. "They're at the studio—to then, and drive out after the dinner, leave the room. "Oh, Gibbs—"You are a good woman, Ellen," he said. "Gibbs" mother was just such another! You shall have him back, in have to be in town tomorrow—but the said of the car. I may be not the said. "Gibbs" mother was just such another! You shall have him back, my dear, and this will all be forgotten. The old man stared at her for a mowe'll see. Don't worry if I'm not here. Come on, Tom, we're all ready!"

Ellen followed them downstairs, her keeping with the foreboding sky and gotten episodes railled to support the to go. She's like a child; she forgets. the cold, dull air. When the plans for the day were discussed at the brenkfast table, she listened, hertragic gaze moving from her husband's face to Lillian's serene face.

"I wish I could go into town when do, Gibbs," Lillian said indifferently, giving Tommy the cherry from her grapefruit: "but I'm not going until late, and I'm furious at having to go at all. I hate the Wallaces, I'm worried about your father's cold, and altogether my dolly is stuffed with saw-

"I suppose we couldn't be rude to again?" the old man sald, doubtfully.

"I suppose we couldn't!" she answered, smiling. "No, and I wouldn't have you go in with that cold, either! I'll go in about five and stay at the Plaza, and have a really nice time, so don't give it another thought! You have to go this morning, Gibbs?"

"Now!" he answered, rising. "I'm painting a lovely society lady, weight three hundred, and a mustache!"

Tommy laughed gaily, danced with until the roadster disappeared down

The day wore on. At eleven o'clock Lillian, whose woman was shampoo-ing her hair, wandered, with all its glory spread toose over her shoulders. to Ellen's door,

Ellen had been writing, but had stopped, and was staring blindly ahead of her through tear-filmed eyes. She was glad she did not have to face Lillian as she looked out of the

"So it is!" she managed to say

Lillian wandered on, stood in the bathroom door, where Lizzie was working mittens and warm woolen wraps upon the excited Tommy. When she turned back into Ellen's room the younger woman had entirely recovered her self-control.

While they lunched, snowflakes fluttered, softly down from a leaden sky. A wind began to whistle about the corners of the house. Outside there was great emptiness, an appalling slience. Ellen forced herself to settle down with her father-in-law in the study after lunch; the old man-seemed supremely happy as she opened "Jean Christophe." He was established in his great chair by the fire. with a plaid over his knees, and interrupted the reading now and then to congratulate himself upon having escaped the necessity of going out that night. But Lillian seemed as restless and nervous as Ellen did.

At four o'clock she came in to say goodby, exquisite in her furs, and Ellen suddenly decided to try to walk herself into a better frame of mind. She may be wrong!" she stammered saw Torrens walking about the big eagerly. "Lillian may be somewhere car, as she went down the drive, and. presently it passed her and she waved But they do meet—they do write each to Lillian in farewell.

other," Ellen went on with trembling

wind was blowing. The snow fell fitwas not yet fairly under way. Ellen, gotten—!"
usually normal and sensible enough. She burs buck to that dreadful house, where she hid her eyes on his shoulder, selfishness, and deceit, and cruelty flourished.

But she did go back, and sent her where she dried her eyes, and managed were shoes downstairs by Keno, and slowly got herself into something warm. She went to the study, where were shoes downstairs by Keno, and showly got herself into something warm. She went to the study, where just before dinner Josselyn, Senior, to lift a weight from her soul.

Joined her. Ellen was almost frantic "I blame myself for this. now with undefined nervousness, her hands were icy cold, her face burned, and when one of the maids dropped a spoon at dinner she gave a sharp little cry. She and her father-in-law were alone at the stately meal.

"Here comes the storm!" he suid pleasantly, as a wild assault of wind drove violently against the windows "Oh, I wish Gibbs were here!" Ellen exclaimed, with suddenly watering eyes. "Here—or that I were anywhere in the world, with him!" her

beart added. And tonight where was he, while she went silently and heavy-hearted about this house of shadows and menaces? The thought tormented her like a gnawing pain. Where was he? Who was enjoying the smile she loved so well, the accents of that wonderful voice? She was not beautiful, as Lillian was, she was thin and nervous, and aller to his atmosphere, but she was his wife after all-she was the same Ellen who had talked with him there at the vacht club, in her pink dress, and given him the freshness and the glory

of her youth. "Oh, I could be pretty again!" sh mused, beside the study fire. "I could he gay again! But not here not

Her book lay idle in her lap, and but the gray parrot found principally on the west coast of Africa. after awhile, glancing toward him, she saw that her father-in-law was dream

"I'm a little worried about Lillian!" he said, as their eyes met. "I'm afraid begin to make confused and indistinct they had a had trip!" And the finely efforts to copy your remark. groomed old hand was stretched for ever he does this reward him with a the telephone. She heard him call the taste of his favorite delicacy, as this Plaza hotel, and ask for Mrs. Bain. will induce further efforts. bridge Wallace. Ellen watched him with a sort of fascination.

"She not with the Wallaces," he repeat any remark you have taught said, in a puzzled tone; "that's odd, him whenever he sees any one enter They say she telephoned at about six or leave. o'clock that she could not reach the city, and was staying with a friend." Ellen's face was deathly white.

Other appropriate phrases can be taught in the same manner, such as the useful remark, "Time to be going."

excellent results will follow.

And with a gesture as primitive as it saw something admirable in the hon-

Only tell me again that you'll for

undressed while she dreamed of a new

Ellen saw herself in her mirror; her

confidence came back, a dimple deep-

while he gave her a yawning accoun-

of the speeches and tore off his white

tie. And Lillian had been—she did not

care where Lillian had been l

take the little apartment that

this new madness.

"Oh, so she is! And she stays over was unconscious she wound her hands est, earnest little face, and the wet

The old man stared at her for a mo-ment in utter bewilderment. Then the no harm has been done, yet. I'll think n followed them downstairs, her dark with suspicions well in new suspicion. His gallantry, courtesy, untiring animation and geniality give him. Ellen, and be happy again! were a deliberately adopted philosophy. He had not been Lillian's husband for eight years without perceiving the real woman beneath the soft and lovely surface. He felt for her at times the angry contempt of a genuine nature forced to treaty with what is false. But her arts had seemed to him patent, so pitifully childish and apparent, that he had never dreamed

No, he had never dreamed of Gibbs And as the thing burst upon him, suddenly confirmed by much that he had seen and heard without underknew what a fool he had been not to

"You think they-" he began, clear-

ing his throat. Ellen recalled to her-

self in the midst of her frenzy, looked

with quick concern upon his suddenly nged face. "Oh, I don't know!" she said, more quietly. "I don't know anything! But I-I've been thinking about it all day! They may be dining together, and the they will come home inte. It seemed to me that they were planning it—"
She stopped her restless walk, and came to the side of his chair and



Ellen Had Been Writing, but Had Stopped, and Was Staring Blindly Ahead of Her Through Tear-Filmed

night."

"I'll go with you," he said quickly.

I'll go too. Lillian's car may really

have gotten into trouble-

ing penitence of a passionate child. "I else-Gibbs may be at the club dinner! It was bitterly cold, and a strong lips, and a shaken voice, "and he has vind was blowing. The snow fell fit changed to me, I don't count with him fully; the storm was coming, but it any more-he's forgoften-he's for

She burst into bitter crying, and the felt a sense of impending horror close old man fumbled for his handkerchief, upon her. She did not want to go and pressed it against her cheek, as

After a few moments she freed her-self, and went back to her own chair,

nearly eleven o'clock, Ellen, and time in a taxicab. The streets where lan-for you to go to bed. Tomorrow—" guld gangs of men were shoveling They lingered for a moment over heir good-nights, and he laid his hand Fifty-ninth. They were at the door. n her shoulder.

"One thing more, Ellen. Will you orgive him? Her quick tears came again. Her

roice thickened. "I-I love him. There's nothing to orgive!"

Her father-in-law stared down at her from his greater height as if he a moment transfixed. They could hear

Remember that the best talker is

If the parrot is to become a talker

In a few weeks the parrot should

be able to exclaim "good day" or

he will, in the first three or four days,

not the one with the gayest plumage

Parrots can be more obstinate than your watch. It is always wise to sules, but if you are a determined in teach each sentence separately, never nules, but if you are a determined in starting a new one until the previous structor and not easily discouraged

early trip for Gibbs?" her father-in-

breathlessly, abstractedly

me has been mastered, In three or four months your par-rol should be a speaker of some preensions. If, however, at the end of this time he has shown no sign of profiting by your lessons be assured ne never will. The most to expect is he may one day make a good whistler.

### Politeness

Little Johnny was to be taken to the movies, and as they were on their way his mother told him to be sure to be polite in everything he said. After they were seated, Johnny found "They're together!" she whispered, by uttering the phrase as you look at inches?"

Gibbs' full, unmistakable voice oman's laugh-Lillian's rare laugh ounded in answer.

Instantly Ellen's companion flung pen the door.

Gibbs and Lillian were alone in the lian, bareheaded and wearing a splenanother! You shall have him back, did robe of Chinese green, was beside my dear, and this will all be forgotten. the fire, coffee and rolls were on the little table before her; she was enjoying her breakfast.

### **CHAPTER IX**

Ellen had passed through several chases of violent emotion in the past ten days, like everyone else in the house she had been undergoing trelife for herself and Gibbs. They would Joined the studio, they would be alone again, the old happy atmosphere would the others, she had disciplined herself to accept the new order of things be recreated. He loved her, under all Ellen had the advantage of some prep aration, whereas the events of the nemorable Wednesday had fallen upon heeks hurning, her eyes starry, her the others like a thunderbolt. She had loosened cloud of hair framing her thoughtful face. Hope came back, suspected, doubted, and dreaded, for many heartsick days and weeks before the crisis came, and now, while they all suffered in their separate ways ened in her cheek. It was all her foolish suspicion, after all. Gibbs had from the shock. Ellen even experienced been at the dinner, and would come home on the midnight train, and turn Gibbs loved her no longer, and he the electric lights full in her eyes

knew that she knew it.
For a few days the repetition of this fact gave her an empty, vague feeling, and a sensation of futigue. She was always tired, and her head felt always confused. Gibbs loved her no longer.

But when she had jumped into bed, and midnight struck, and one o'clock Well, what next then? She had and two o'clock, and he did not come the anger and doubt returned in double leather harness, for instance, and the force. The storm was still racketing about the house. Ellen felt cold under room, by the air-tight stove. And later her thick blankets. She tossed and turned, locked her arms under her had roused in the night to listen to head and stared into the dark, turned the baby's uneven breathing and had and tossed again. Her father-in-law had disposed of was gone, that Rose was gone-Rose But was gone!

the matter simply and sanely. But suppose she was right, suppose Lillian And now she must keep sane, and and Gibbs had really thrown all honor to the winds, were really toface these new, strange things. Gibbs. her own husband, loved another wom gether tonight, then what? How could she—how could any wife, forgive that? little brother whose simple, sturdy To have his father take away the danintegrity had seemed to shine in so ger, as she might take matches away brilliant a contrast to this life of hy pocrisies and affectations. Joe had caused misery and harm, and must take a tarnished record into his new from Tommy, proved nothing for him. And if he and Lillian did not choose life as a husband. be separated, if that passion had Brooding on these things day and carried them far beyond any plans

that she and his father might make—? The clock struck three; struck four certain desperate courage. She dressed Ellen felt as if she would never sleep in her usual scropulous, quaint way she made herself walk and read, and enter into Tommy's life. She met The next morning she surprised Liz-Gibbs' stern and moody unresponsive ness with tranquil gravity, with his father alone she was more like her zie and Tommy at their early breakworld was mantled with snow, but the old sunshiny self. Lillian and Ellen sun had just risen, and Louis, the barely spoke to each other, except for lad who assisted Torrens, had the little the unavoidable civilities whose omiservice car at the door, and was confident that he could get Mrs. Josselyn servants.

as far as the station.

Just as Ellen was leaving, her Josselyn, Senior, had somewha withdrawn into himself since the trip father-in-law, also cloaked and gloved, came downstairs. Their heavy eyes. to the studio, and had asked his wife to cancel all engagements for a week two. Lillian amiably obeyed and after that the slience and chill of hid-

what I'm going to do," Ellen said. "I've den anger and suppressed fear fell got to go to the studio-and see if upon the "Villing dell' Orto." Once they-if he's there. I didn't sleep all George Lathrop came to dinner, and now and then Joe came in, perceiving I saw Louis come to the door, and I that something was wrong, but assum thought you must be going to town, ing, as they were all assuming, that everything was normal and pleasant between the Josselyns. Otherwise

"Or he may have been foolish they were alone. Lillian was bewildered and made enough to try to come out in the road-ster," Ellen added. They went down little uneasy by the suddenness with the scraped steps together; not an which this change in atmosphere had other word was exchanged on the come about, because, as she told her drive to the train. It was an early train; commuters were stamping on self a dozen times a day, nothing had happened, after all. When Tom and the snow-tracked platform. Ellen Ellen had so abruptly entered the placed hersel at a window and stared studio, on that eventful Wednesday blindly out, making no attempt to en- morning, she had been ready with her tertain her companion, who rattled laughing explanation of her presence his newspaper with a great show of there, and she had seen that they ac

had risen to meet them: "Ah, now-"I blame myself for this, Ellen," tied over her head, feeding chickens; you've spoiled it (111" was daunting in Josselyn, Senior, said presently, in another woman kissed two bundle-like its bright sincerity. She had had a some agitation. He got up, took his babies at a gate. The little woman in kiss for her husband, she had had an pipe from the mantel, filled it, and front of her, in the warm tram, was arm about Ellen as she elucidated:

| A continue of the laid it irresolutely aside. "Well" he consulting an insignificant-looking, "Tom darling, we've been scheming and briskly, "I will think about this, my dear, and we will decide what to do. We will take it in time. We will—take—it—in—time." And now he lighted his pipe, his tone resolute. "It's to take were in the big station; cereally followed her lead.

"And how'd you get in, Dad? The car broke down with Lillian yesterday snow, went by. Forty-second: Fiftieth: on the Great Neck hill-Torrens go in as far as the service station-did

"You have some explanation of this he telephone you?"
arly trip for Gibbs?" her father in "And I had to telephone the Wal law asked suddenly in the lift. She laces," Lillian added, wide-eved, "and turned to him tortured eyes.

"Oh, yes—toothache," she answered with old Mrs. Pepper at Great Neck all night. I didn't telephone you because A second later, outside the studio I had this date for an early sitting door, she caught his arm. They stood with Gibbs."

"Take a look at It!" Gibbs sa'd, at the easel. "Awfully rough now, of course! It's Just laid in." The old man, studying the canvas, nodded. May Be Hard Task to Teach Parrot to Talk "Still, you've caught it!" he said. Car broke down, eh?"

"No. it was skidding," Lillian, a her husband's side, also looking at the portrait, explained. "The road was simply lined with cars, Tom. It was snowing hard, you know, and I got terribly nervous. Finally Torrens gave it up, too. He's been talking about the brake, you know, and he was as nervous as I." She was smiling, eager, garrulous

for Lillian. (TO BE CONTINUED.)

### They Like Felix

"Fellx," a slow-moving old rat, is a pensioner at the Derby railway sta tion, London, and is jealously pro-tected by the station's staff. He will nibble his food, undisturbed, in full view of the throngs that pass in that the man's head in front of him out. If anyone tries to molest him. obstructed his view. Remembering to the station employees are quite in be polite, Johnny said: "Please, sir, dignant. It is their hoast that no won't you pull in your neck about six dog or ferret dare touch felix and that he is too wise to take poison

Green's August Flower

The remedy with a record of fifty-All who suffer with nervous dyspen sia, sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, torpid liver, dizziness, headaches, coming-up of food, wind or stomach, palpitation and other indica tions of digestive disorder, will find GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER an effective and efficient remedy, Fo fifty-eight years this medicine has been successfully used in millions of studio. Globs, in his painting apron, was busy with the wooden screws and cogs that adjusted his hig easel. Lil-ularity GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER is found today wherever medicines ar gold. 80 and 90 cent bottles.—Adv.

#### English Village Brides Measured for Dowries

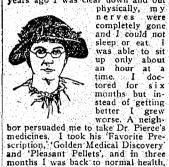
A quaint ceremony is observed at Roydon, in Norfolk, England, the

Philadelphia Inquirer says. About 300 years ago the lord of the nanor bequeathed the sum of £1,000. the interest from which was to be mendous mental adjustments. But voted annually to provide dowrlos for more sensible or more adaptable than four brides. Under the terms of the bequest the money has to be divided between the youngest, the eldest, the shortest and the tallest brides married during the course of each year

in the parish church.

This entails the "measuring of the bride." After the marriage ceremony the bride and bridegroom proceed to vestry to sign the register and the bride is then measured by the officiating minister. In order that her correct stature may be ascertained she is required to remove her shoes and let down her hair. At the end of the year the marriage records are examined and the dowrles awarded to those qualified to receive them.

### Are You Nervous? Portsmouth, Ohio—"About twenty years ago I was clear down and out



months I was back to normal health. my nerves were good. I could eat and sleep well and do all my own work."—Mrs. Edward Pollitt, 844 Front Street. All dealers.

"Can you fix up this yur clock so's tTi run?" inquired Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "I reckon so," replied the jeweler,

examining the sadly dilapidated time-piece. "How in the Sam Hill did it et in this condition?" The presiding elder was at my

house tuther night, and he said he'd end that every time the clock ticked baby was born and every third child was a Chinese. My least boy, Bear-cat, heered him and said by gosh he'd stop that foolishdess. He up with my pistol before I noticed he had it and poured the whole blame seven shots Into the bowels of that there clock."-Kansas City Times.

### Not Quite

Six-You seem to think I'm a perect idiot? Al-No, no one is perfect.

It may happen that the more "highluss" the neighborhood the less neighorly the neighbors

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### Real Tribute

A lot of funny things go through the mails. One worning Senator McKinley, in Wushington, received a request from an aged constituent to see what could be done to hurry along his pen-

"I heard you make a speech the last time you were in town," "and you had some good things in it that I laughed at. In fact, I laughed sa hard that one of my teeth came out. I inclose the tooth." The senator says this is the strang-

est proof of fealty and token of esteem that has ever come to him in his whole political cureer.—Houston Post.

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**LOCAL NEWS** 

R. S. Babbitt is driving a new Ford

J. T. Lamb of Bay City was a caller in Grayling Wednesday.

Fresh Home made bread and pies and all other kinds of baked goods.

Mrs. Geo. Burke left Tuesday for Detroit on business for a few days.

Ross N. Martin of Higgins Lake s calling on friends in Grayling this

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Don't forget the bake sale Saturday

afternoon at the Electric Light Office All kinds of Goodies.

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Mrs. Alonzo Collens and daughter

Mrs. Lester Coutts returned Satur-

George Burke and Charles Fehr re-

H. W. Zalsman of Detroit visited

his parents Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Zalsman and family over Thanksgiving,

J. E. Fletcher is driving a new tudebaker Roadster which the loca

ealer Harry Simpson delivered the

The Womans Home Missionary so-iety of Michelson Memorial church will meet with Mrs. Zeder Wednesday

vening, December 10, at 7:30 o'clock

The Maccabees will hold a bake sale at the Electric Light office Saturday afternoon, Dec. 6. Fresh home made bread and pies and all other kinds of

Health officers and public health nurses from all over Michigan will meet in Lansing, December 10, 11, and 12, for the Fourth Annual Con-

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O. P. SCHUMANN, Editor.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1924.

ON DECEMBER 11th the matter of the proposed abandonment of the Manistee & Northeastern railroad system, will come up before the Public Utilities commission at Lansing for hearing. At this time anyone interested in its abandonment or its continuation may make their petitions to the commission.

The Grayling to Manistee branch of this system was constructed about the year of 1909 and has served the public well. During the early years of its operations this line passed thru vast forests of pine and hardwoods and the line was kept busy hauling logs and timber. Besides there was considerable passenger traffic.

Maxine visited Miss Beulah Collens in Detroit over Thanksgiving. The dwindling of the forests has reduced the population and the subsequent patronage of the railroad. until now the owners claim that their Company is losing money by operating the railroad.

We wonder if the people of this city have had just appreciation of this enterprise; if they have been as faithful as they might have been in natronizing that railroad. Freight conditions cannot be brought up to the original volume, we apprehend, altho it may be greatly increased. If merchants and individuals receiving and shipping freight between Grayling and Chicago would instruct the ship pers to ship over this line, consider able additional business might be had. Also Grand Rapids affords supply companies of almost every needed commodity. Why not have your goods shipped over this railroad and keep this line running? In going to Chicago the M. & N. E. affords the very best of accommodations. Leaving Grayling at 2:15 p. m. one reaches Grand Rapids at about 9.00 p. m. ready to step onto a waiting Chicago sleeper. And to reach the western part of the state it is by far the quickest and cheapest route.

This matter has been presented the Board of Trade and we believe tha organization will do all'it can to help keep this railroad on the map. It is a needed line for Grayling and a very valuable asset to our transportation facilities.

Why not co-operate with other in terested cities toward efforts to retain this line of transportation?

December 11th is the date set fo the hearing.

Noise is waste.

Every man wants all he can get. Concentrate on your likes-forge Some people are always looking for

Gas-filling stations are more numerous than grocery storres.

Henry Bauman left Monday leveland, Ohio. Emil Kraus made a business trip

Rev. and Mrs. J. Herman Baughn are in Detroit on business.

Mrs. Earl Whipple spent Thanks-giving with relatives in Alma. Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson returned Saturday after having spent Thanksgiving in Detroit.

Dolph Sancartier and family are enjoying a new Overland Champion purchased recently thru M. A. At-kinson, local dealer.

Mrs. A. M. Lewis is entertaining a few guests this afternoon for the pleasure of Mrs. C. M. Morfit, who is leaving Grayling to make her home in New Brunswick, N. J.

Large crowds attended the movie "The Last Man on Earth" last Wednesday night, that was given complimentary to the public by Manager Geo. N. Olson.

Don't miss the basketball game to-morrow night, Dec. 5th. Grayling American Legion team will play the Mancelona Independents. Admis-sion prices 35c and 15c.

Jay Ostrander of Hillman and Charles Ostrander and daughters Eva and Ethel of Alpena visited Mrs. Perry Ostrander and other rela-toives here Thanksgiving day.

John Erkes, who has been employed at the military reservation for the past year or more has been transferred for the winter to the Lausing office of the Quartermaster department.

Grayling Post 106 American Legion will hold initiation of several new members at their next regular meeting next Monday night at the W. R. C. hall. All members are urged to be present. Lunch will be

At a social gathering of the Lady Maccabees at the home of Mrs. John Matthiesen last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Elizabeth Lamont, a member of the lodge, whose 76th birthday anniversary fell on that day was presented with a gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Madison and children of Kenneth, and Miss Marie Defrain of Cheboygan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Defrain over Thanksgiving. Miss Margaret Madison who has been visiting her aunt and uncle for several weeks returned home Wednesday.

The first meeting of the Bridge club was held at the home of Mrs. Oscar Hanson, Saturday afternoon. It was a very pleasant affair, every one present being enthusiastic over starting the season's parties. Mrs. Charles Coyle and Mrs. C. M. Morfit were given the prizes.

W. H. Cody, proprietor of the Burton Hotel, says that the public is invited to make use of the hotel parlors upstairs as rest rooms. They are comfortable and convenient and easily accessable to toilet and wash rooms. Farmers' families and mothers with children are specially invited. All are welcome and there is no charge.

Mrs. Maria Oaks, mother of Mrs Nancy Deckrow, who has been mak-ing her home with her daughter, passed away last Friday at the ripe old age of 80 years. The remains were taken to Flint for burial. Hugh Oaks, a son of the deceased, and a former old resident of Grayling, was called to Grayling owing to his mother's death.

Buy your Christmas seals from the school children. The money secured in this way will be spent in Craw-ford county for tuberculosis work. This is a humane idea that originated Mrs. Roy Barber and son Carlysle spent Thanksgiving with relatives in in Denmark and is now being con-ducted in many countries, including America. Use Christmas seals on every letter you send out between now and Christmas. Axel Peterson of Battle Creek is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peterson.

Mrs. C. M. Morfit was the guest of honor at a very pretty luncheon given by the Bridge Club at the home of Miss Bauman Monday afternoon. The small tables on which the luncheon was served were centered with black bud vases filled with red sweet peas and maidhair fern which were most attractive. Mrs. Esbern Han-son and Mrs. Morfit won prizes.

J. E. Fletcher of the Military reservation is feeling pretty proud over having bagged his first deer, after "Hubert tells me he was just in the residing in this vicinity six years. He must have tried harder than usual tree and some gifts for you in there." lay from a couple of weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Trudo and this season, or either lady luck was children of Gaylord spent Sunday with him for on the day before the visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trudo season closed he filled his license, and it only took one shot. The buck weighed 187 pounds and had 13 horn

urned Tuesday from Bergland and ake Gogebic, both having filled their The The Board of Supervisors held a brief session first of the week, finish-ing the work of the Annual October session. Joint work with the state auditors was the principal service of leave for the home. Before doing so this last session. This will be the final meeting of the year, until the Jan-There was Dad, on his hands and uary session. Joseph Royce is a new member of the board, having been ap-pointed by the township board of South Branch, to succeed O. B. Scott. who resigned to accept an appoint-ment on the county board of Road commissioners.

Olaf Sorenson & Sons report that Paris and London was heard over their radio one evening last week. Holger Hanson, who has just in-stalled a radio in the home of his mother, Mrs. J. K. Hanson, says he s quite positive that he heard Am-Wanted reliable person to act as a sterdam. Those who have been waitassistant Editor and Manager for local magazine. Reference required. Apply to Vacation Magazine, Orchard Island, Ohio.

Health officers and public health nurses from all over Michigan will may now be entirely aliminstruments may now be entirely aliminstruments. may now be entirely eliminated at al-most any time in these newer models. And there seems to be no limit to their reach. ference of Health Officers and Public

Mrs. P. P. Mahoney was hostess at 500 pages, covering every phase on a "500" party Wednesday afternoon.
Mrs. Ambrose McClain received first prize and Mrs. Earl Dawson the consolation. A nice lunch was enjoyed later in the afternoon.

The feed barn is again a burning question. Efforts are being made to The nester is considered the world's greatest the nester is considered the world's made to the New York Central lines. "The Potato", a whole volume, over question. Efforts are being made to provide tie-sheds for farmers and others coming into the town with hor sees and teams. It is now in the hands of a committee of the Board of Trade. The 1924 Tax roll is now in the hands of the Township treasurer for those wishing to pay their taxes. Office open from 8:00 to 11:00 a. m., from 12:00 to 5:00 p. m. and 6:15 to 7:15 p. m. by appointment. C. O. McCullough, Township Treas.

### One-Half Dozen Happy Kiddies By ELEANOR KING

Festivities

Gathers in thomeless Tots for Christmas

HE dining room of this exquisite home was beautiful, spacious and furnished in the best of taste. Its massive Jacobean high-backed chairs, long table, draperies all

harmonized. But that quality which puts one at ease was lacking. It looked austere and unfriendly. The servants had decorated the table and room profusely, trying to give a little of the Christmas atmosphere. The forbidding look still asserted itself, though. From the length of the table and amount of edibles piled upon it one might have judged there was to be quite a party, but only four places

were set.

The dinner gong sounded. A middle aged, well-dressed man and woman ap-

"And you say Thelms went out in the car?"
"She didn't say where she was go

ing, Robert," replied his wife.
"She probably thought Hubert was taking too long in getting over here, so she took, it upon herself to go after

"Undoubfedly," assented Mrs. Fre mont. Thelms came soon bursting in up

her folks, coat and hat still on. To be sure, she had Hubert with her. "Dad, mother," she exclaimed, "come and see what I have out here!" She led her folks into the front hall



butler and a maid occupied in remov ing coats and hats from six children.
"Well, where did you get these?" where did you get these? said Mr. Fremont in his blustering

"It's like this Dad," began Thelms

with a rather apologetic air: "When I came downstairs this afternoon and saw that dining room table heaped up with good things-well. I just went for Hubert; together we found the name of the nursery or home or whatever you call it, near here and we went over there. I had the matron give me half a dozen children, and here they are." She pointed to the group in front of her, who were busy taking in their surroundings. "Children, this is my father and this my mother. Now, Dad here is Tony, Rose, Frederick, Charles Anna and Marle," us she gathered the children to her. "Now, children, we are going in and have dinner. Let's see, Hubert, you take Frederick and Charles, Dad take Tony; Mother, you take Anna, and I will have Rose and

The children, ranging from six to eight, were rather shy until they set eyes on all the goodles on the table; then they were all excitement. Theima winked at Hubert, and then looked at her dad. He was busy keeping mea enough cut up for Tony, supplying his numerous other demands, and keeping up with his many questions. The chil were fairly stuffed when they climbed down from the table.

"We are going to play some game now," said Thelma. "Hubert, you get on that side of the circle; come Dad and Mother." But no amount of coaxing could bring Dad and Mother. Dad thought he had done his share.

"What do you think?" said Theim: to the children a little while later



tree and some gifts for you in there. They all made a dash for the door.

"Where do you suppose she got these things?" queried Mr. Fremont of his wife,

"I can't imagine," she replied; "this must have been the planning of more

It came time for Thelma to give the dread announcement that they were to knees, crawling about the floor with Tony, playing train. Tony had succeeded in winning over Mr. Fremont. There sat her mother reading a to three of the youngsters, and Hu-bert—she could hardly believe her eyes—sat cuddling a little sleeping form in his arms. She went over and sat down on the arm of his chair.

"You dear old thing," she said, put ting her arm around him; then, "Huday was been a success?"

(6, 1933, Western Newspaper Union.)

### UNDER THE MISTLETOE

"Oh, professor, see the big bunch of mistletoe I have hung on the chandeller," exclaimde the young lady, standing under it and smiling roguis

Young and Learned Professor (look ing near-sightedly through his glasses)—"Ah, yes, it is an excellent specimen of the Viscum Album, of the order Loranthacaea. It is a jointed dichotomas shrub." And that was all.

No resourcefulness is comparable that of a mother who raises (ight

As soon as some fell ws get a pal vate office where they can loaf with-out being seen they begin to rave about the workingman limiting pro-

Bewere of the man who asks for three minutes of your time." Don't be afraid of big things ackard steers easier than a Ford.

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RIVERVIEW NEWS.

Billings and family have into the Grover camp for the

Ed. Matt was called to his home in Coleman by the serious illness of his

wife.
Wm. Fischer of Grand Rapids visiting his wife. Mr. Custer of Rawleigh is visiting his son Thomas.

The woods are still full of deer

The woods are still full of deer hunters.

Thursday morning at 3 o'clock the white winged angel of death entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weice and claimed their little son Ray

### That Gobbler for Christmas By CLARA DELAFIELD

They Just Could Not Kill the Bird might let you have the gobber for Christmann and the country with the country was a constant. Up From

Babyhood

age two years.

mas," said Si-las Hicks. "He'll be Babynood a fine bird by then.
But I dunno. He's the only one I've

reared out of that brood, and I'm kinder attached to him." However, he promised Mrs. James finally to let her have the gobbler.

Silas Hicks was not a sentimental man. He was a farmer, and in business for the money it brought him. He had a brother John, who had gone to the city and made money hand over fist. John was a crusty old bachelor and largely devoid of the sense of family obligations.

There had been a time, five years before, when things went hadly with Silas. There was a heavy mortgage to meet, the crops had been a failure, and he had been in danger of dispossession. Besides, his wife was on her sickbed, from which she was never to

Silas had gone in his despair to the brother whom he had not seen tor years. John had turned him down flat. "Father left you the farm because you played up to him, and kicked me out into the world," he said. "Now. I've made my pile, you have the nerve to come to me for help. I don't see it,

"My wife's sick," pleaded Silas, "and you've got more money than you know what to do with."

"Oh, I can find a use for it." John rejoined caustically.



shown a little sympathy for me when have a little more for you, Silas." Silas went home. Somehow he man-aged to survive the crisis. But his

wife died, and he grew loneller and loneller. If he had had a few thousand dollars he would have sold out and gone south to live, somewhere away from this bleak New England coast. But he could just manage to make both ends meet. Daily he cursed his brother in his heart.

He started raising turkeys, and that

was a failure. Only the gobbler lived. He used to watch the bird with interest. The gobbler would come cluck-ing after him for crumbs. And it was odd how it looked like John,

He began to call it John. It had a queer way of putting its head upon one side and calling, as John used to do when he was a boy. Gradually, to old Silas' fancy, the gobbler became an effigy of John. He hated it.

He hated it, and he was attached, too. He made a sort of pet of the gobbler. He wanted it to love him so far as a turkey gobbler is capable of love. Then, when Christmas came he was going to cut its threat very slowly, bending its head back to see the terror in its eyes. He would thus have his revenge upon his brother "Yes, marm, John's thriving picely and putting on flesh," he told Mrs.

James, "Here he comes. John! John!"



uend on one side and surveyed Sila "Isn't he the cutest thing!" said Mrs. James. "I don't wonder can't bear to let me have it, Mr. Hicks."

"Oh, that'll be all right, marin," re sponded Silas cheerily. An elemental hat ed for the gobble

had come to fill his heart. Christma was at hand. He pictured how, on the morrow, he would grab the bird, he abuse that he had picked up from it then it should die slowly, as he would like John to die. On Christmas morning he found

letter from an unknown corresponden in the city. Opening it, he read that his brother John was dead.

John had left forty thousand dollars half of which was to go to Silas, "in memory of our boxhood times together and in the hope that any ill feeling if it existed has long ago been can Silas stared at the letter. His eyes

grew misty. He saw John again as a little boy upon the farm; his heart went out to him across the years.

Gobble! Gobble! The big turkey was standing in front of him. Its head on one side, one claw raised, begging

for crumbs. "You great big faker, you!" bellowe Silus. The gobbler, looking-a little alarmed

retreated a step or two.

"Oh, Mr. Hicks, I'm willing to pay for that turkey, but somehow I-I feel I just can't eat him after seeing him

grow up from babyhood."
"Wal, Mrs. James, I was kinder feeling that way myself," said Silus Hicks, scratching his head. "You see I'm selling out and going south, and was figuring on taking him along and



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What Might Almost Be Termed Surgical Operations Are Frequently Employed by Gardeners

It seems strange to think of a plant being put into splints very much in the same way as the surgeon fixes up day, Nov. 28, between Stephan a proken hone, says St. Nicholas. Yet bridge and Grayling, finder please this plan is often followed in the modnotify Harry Moshier, Grayling. ern garden. From one cause or another a bough becomes broken, although the parts are not actually severed. Frequently this is due to the weight of the fruit. In this case money will be lost if something can-

WANTED—PLACE FOR GIRL TO not be done to repair the injury, work and go to school. Inquire of Mrs. Seeley Wakeley, Grayling, ting a plant in splints becomes useful. First of all, the expert gently straight-FOR SALE—MY HOUSE, LOT AND be done with great care, so as, if pos-garage, at a low price. Call at my shie, to avoid a complete fracture. Then he takes two splints-lengths of wood a little wider than the branch and long enough to allow several inches above and below the break and binds them in place, not too tightly, or it would hamper the circulation of the sap. When the splints are well adjusted cotton wool is tucked into any exposed parts about the fracture. In this manner the action of the air is excluded as far as possible. If the matter has been looked after promptly, there is no reason why the growth above the break should not go on steadily. Finally, the wound is so completely healed that the place where the break took place is as strong as

other part of the plant.-New

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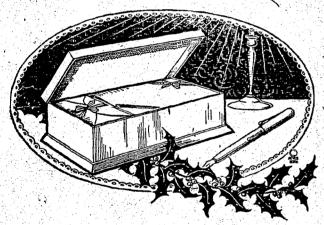
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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1924

When a man's liabilities reach a certain amount his troubles are over; his, creditors will take care of him.

Why does Olson's Shoe Store sell o many shoes?

Harry Hemmingson of Detroit visit ed over Thanksgiving at his home

St. Mary's Altar society is meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs Cletus St. Pierre.

Eaino Huhtala of Detroit arrived last week and is visiting at the home of A. E. Hendrickson.

Mrs. Alvin LaChappelle and two children have been spending the past week visiting in Detroit.

Miss Ruth McCullough of Detroit spent Thanksgiving with her pare Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCullough.

John and Francis Brady spent the Thanksgiving vacation visiting in Detroit. They returned home Mon-

A son weighing 9% pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Conway, on Thanksgiving Day. He has been named Donald.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hughes and children motored to Flint and were guests of Mrs. Hughes' parents Mr. and Mrs. Savey over Thanksgiving.

Herman and Ferdinand Sorenso and their families of Detroit visited the Victor Sorenson family in Gray-ling the latter part of the week.

The Hospital Aid Society will meet next Thursday, December 11th at the home of Mrs. H. H. Pool, Mrs. Hol-ger F. Peterson will assist Mrs. Pool. George Smith joined Mrs. Smith in Detroit last Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter Mrs. Ross Sparks and family. Mrs. Smith had been spending several days

The meeting of the Ladies Aid will be held with Mrs. Holger Schmidt on Friday afternoon Dec. 5th. Will all the ladies of the Aid try and be

George Sorenson and family motor-ed over to Grand Rapids and spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Sorenson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter E.

Anyone wishing a pretty home-made doll to remember some little tot with at Xmas time, please Phone No. 892 anytime during the forencon,

Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Tupper and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dicks of Redford, Mich. were guests at a six o'clock Thankagiving dinner at the home of Mrs. Loia Papenfus, in Lovells.

Don't forget the dance at the Finnish hall next Saturday night, Dec. 6.

on Friday afternoon Dec. 5 th. large attendance is desired.

James Simpson, age 73 years pass dames Simpson, age 13 years pass-ed away at the Crawford county In-firmary last Thursday. The funeral was held Monday afternoon with ser-vices at the F. M. church, Marlin Maxwell conducting the services.

Grayling Council Knights of County of County Spending Council Knights of County Spending Council Knights of County Spending Council Knights of County Spending County Spending Council Knights of County Spending County Spend Grayling Council Knights of Col-

Miss Dorothy May spent the Thanksgiving vacation visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mutton in Bay City. Also Mr. and Mrs. How- wisiting at Coldwater for a couple of ard Scarlett and children Harold weeks accompanied him on his refurn. ard Scarlett and children Harold weeks accompanied him on his requests at the Mutton home for the weekend.

Mrs. Margaret Burton who have been wisiting at Coldwater for a couple of weeks accompanied him on his requests at the Mutton home for the weekend.

Owen and Susanne of Detroit were guests at the Mutton home for the weekend.

Mrs. Estelle Archambeau, Miss Anna Fischer and Miss Mary Kelly of the Mercy Hospital training force spent Thanksgiving out of the city.

Mrs. Archambeau visited in Detroit and Pontiac, Miss Kelly at her home in Grand Rapids and Miss Fischer at her home in Cheboygan.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber Sr., of Sigsbee have been enjoying a visit for the rest account of viring a visit for viring a visit fo

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schrieber Sr., of Sigsbee have been enjoying a visit for the past couple of weeks from Mr. and Mrs. Elmer VanNatter and son Leo of Cadillac. Thanksgiving they were joined by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Serven and Wm. Christenson and family of Grayling.

Mrs. Louis Johnson and son visited relatives in East Jordan over Sunday. Mrs. Johnson is just able to be around again after being con-fined to her home for several weeks with blood poisoning in her left foot.

Miss Vella Harmann, who is teaching in the public schools at Port Hope, Mich. arrived Thanksgiving morning class of 24, and what they are doing, and spent the remainder of the week that appeared in the School notes visiting her mother Mrs. A. Hermann column last week the name of Miss and family. Mrs. Oille McLeod accompanied her as far as Bay City on the class and also a member of the return, Saturday night.

1. In the list of graduates of the list of graduates of the class of 24, and what they are doing, and what they are doing, and spent week the name of Miss Loretta McDonnell, a member of the class, and also a member of the class and

Ralph Hollowell and family spent Thankagiving in Boscommon with Mrs. Hollowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hanson. Mrs. Hanson ac-companied the family home Friday Thankagiving in Roscommon with Mrs. Hollowell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hanson. Mrs. Hanson accompanied the family home Friday and spent a few days here. Also Miss Hester Hanson, who teaches school in the visinity of Roscommon visited at the Hollowell home Sunday.

Mrs. Herluf Sorenson and daughter thanks and went up into the hay loft to pitch some hay down to the horses, when he discovered smoke coming from the hay. With the help of his family he succeeded in getting out

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R. H. Gillett motored to Bay City

Miss Fern Hum spent Thanksgiv-ng in Detroit visiting relatives.

Miss Ruth Lovely left Wednesday for Wyandotte where she will be

Mrs. A. Burch of Traverse City is a guest of her sister Mrs. A. J. Joseph for a few days.

Mrs. Ben Landsberg entertained her mother Mrs. Gottleib Rau of West Branch over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen, Victor Petersen and Earl Dawson and their families spent Thanksgiving in Johannesburg, guests of Andrew Larson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Menno Corwin spent Thanksgiving with the latter's part

Miss Mildred Corwin of Lansing and Miss Ruth Corwin of LeRoy spen Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Nels Corwin. Menno Corwin motored to LeRoy Wednesday to accompany the latter home.

The N. L. V. S. gave a very enjoyable pedro party at G. A. R. hall Wednesday evening. Prizes were awarded Mrs. Vern Bennett, Mrs. Edwin Chalker, Byron Newell and Charles Tiffin. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

tently, omitted. Miss Lor teaching the Eldorado school.

well home Sunday.

Mrs. Herluf Sorenson and daughter Eina Mae spent Thanksgiving in Cadillac, and on their return Saturday were accompanied home by Mrs. Sorenson's mother, Mrs. Anderson, who will be their guest until after the holidays. Mrs. Sorenson, who as the result of a fall on the sidewalk a couple of weeks ago, broke one of the bones in her left hand, is recovering nicely.

Buy artics and rubbers at Olson's The Ladies Aid society of the Mich-

elson Memorial church will meet with Mrs. Darveau, Friday afternoon, Dec. 5th. Will all members of the Aid try and be present.

Archie Cripps left last week for Muskogee, Okla., to visit his brother Glen, who is a patient at a U. S. Vet-erans hospital in that city, and Scholz of Sagpent Thanksgiving with the Branch over Thanksgiving.

A splendid line of house slippers for Xmas is being shown at Olson's in all been in Ann Arbor accompanied them home.

Misses Cora King and Caroline Hanson who attend school in Grayling, spent the Thanksgiving vacation at their homes at Houghton Lake, entertaining Miss Louise Sorenson, who accompanied them home.

The Ladies Aid of the Michelson Memorial Church will meet with Mrs. Darreau as stated in last week for the whole family.

A splendid line of house slippers for Xmas is being shown at Olson's in all clause for several months suffering with heart trouble as the result of being gassed during the World war. The young man is the son of John Cripps of this city and held the commission of lieutenant during the war. Archie may remain in the west with his brother.

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Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau, Sr., of Ithaca visited the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau, Sr., and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau, Sr., of Detroit, were one of the parents Mr. and Mrs. George Willis and the parents of the parents of the parents Mr. and Mrs. George Willis and the parents of the parents of the p

Edward Trudeau returned Wednesday from Detroit where he had spent a couple of weeks visiting his sister Mrs. Arthur Capstraw and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Peterson

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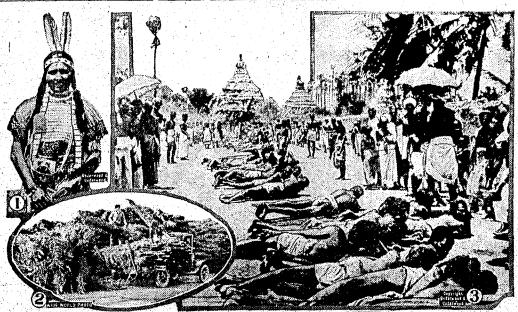


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Olive Davies, picked as Queen of Red Beauty at meeting of Blood Indian tribe at Fort McCloud. Alberta, Canada. 2-Christmus trees cut in Vermont, illustrating a practice that certain organizations are trying to curb. 3—Hindus of Ceylon rolling 29 miles over dusty roads to fulfill vows or regain caste.

### **NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS**

Egypt Likely to Lose Her Independence Because of the Murder of Stack.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

GYPTIAN nationalists who assassinated Gen. Sir Lee Stack, sirdar of the Egyptian army and governor general of the Sudan, brought about g crisis for their country and deprived it of much of the limited liberty that had been granted it by Great Britain Lord Allenby, British high commissloner, promptly presented to the Egyptian government an ultimatum from London and British sea forces began moving toward the land of the The note from the British rethat the Egyptian government should:

.1. Present ample apology for the

2. Bring the criminals, whoever they are or whatever their age, to condign punishment. 3. Henceforth forbid and vigorously

suppress all popular political demon-4. Pay forthwith to his majesty's

government £500,000 (\$2,300,000). 5. Order within twenty-four hours the withdrawal from the Sudan of all Egypt!amofficers and purely Egyptian

units of the Egyptian army. 6. Notify the competent department that the Sudan government will increase the area to be irrigated at Gezira from 300,000 feddans to an un-

limited figure as the need may arise. 7. Withdraw all opposition in rehereafter specified, to the wishes of his majesty's government

concerning protection of foreign interests in Egypt. The two last demands were the

hardest for the Egyptians to accept. and Premier Zagloul Pasha rejected them, yielding to the others. The indemnity was paid at once and the Egyptian troops began withdrawing from the Sudan. Then Zagloul resigned and was succeeded by Ahmed Ziwar Pasha, who formed a mederate Meanwhile the British had occupied the customs at Alexandria and followed this up with impressive parades of troops through that city and Cairo. The British cabinet held up further mensures to give Ziwar a chance, and London believed there was no danger of serious trouble, for the population of Egypt seemed quiet. Egyptian chamber of deputies protested to all countries of the world ind to the League of Nations, and for a few days the French talked excitedlengue, but it was quite evident that, Premier Baldwin and Foreign Minis-ter Chamberlain had laid out their course and would not be diverted. The Laborites in England and in milder degree the Liberals attacked the government for what they termed its brutality and oppression, and it was generally believed the result would be the resumption of the British protectorate over Egypt. At least, the Egyptians have lost all chance of enforcing their claims for joint control of the Sudan, and also the British will now he free to divert all the Nile water they desire for the Sudanese cotton fields through the Gezira irrigation project. The British ministers strongly resent the obvious comparison of their action with that of Austria after the Sarajevo assassination. pointing out that they have only put into operation powers that were expressly reserved in the grant of independence to Egypt. They assert the affair is not the business of the League of Nations, since Egypt is not a member of the league.

SECRETARY WILBUR in his annual report sets forth a lot of facts and figures that are discouraging to those who believe in having the nation in a state of preparedness to resist attack by a foreign fde. Mr. Will-ur declares that owing to the niggardly policy of congress in the matter of appropriations for repairs and replacements, the navy is steadily and replaid deteriorating; that the ships and their machinery are wearing out applogized to parliament for the faster than they can be renewed, and events of November 4, when Fascisti that this condition has been responsible for numerous accidents. Of the eighteen hattleships we retain under the Washington treaty, six are so antiquated and out of condition that they cannot take part in fleet operations Those vessels, he says, must be mod was given a great ovation and later a ernized if our ratio of naval strength vote of confidence. is to be maintained.

Our navy also is outranged by the runs of the British and some of the congress, but to the refusal of the administration to permit elevation of bery at Rondout, Ill. James Murray. our guns in the face of the British

men properly to man the ships. The enlisted personnel is limited to \$6,000. Though officers are needed, congress has reduced the capacity of Annapolis to turn out officers by limiting appointments of cadets to three instead of five for each senator and representa-

It is costing \$70,000,000 to scrap the ships we are obligated by the treaty to destroy. One of the vessels in this class was the partly completed dreadnaught Washington, the hull of which has just been sunk off the Virginia canes where it was made the target of ships and bombing planes. It with stood the shells for several days, and the navy officials intimate that much was learned in the process of destruc-

ZR 3, OUR huge German-built dirigible, sailed from Lakehurst down to Washington lust week and, settling down on the landing field of the Anacostia naval air station was christened "Los Angeles" by Mrs. Coolidge while a big flock of homing pigeons was released from its cabins. The airship was then formally placed in commission by Rear Admiral Benjamin F. Hutchinson and made its way serenely back to Lakehurst.

IN PURSUANCE of its determinacation of income tax returns, and probably to expedite the repeal of the publicity clause of the law the Department of Justice has obtained the indictment of the New York Tribine company, publisher of the Herald-Tribune, and also of Walter S. Dickey, owner, and Ralph Ellis, managing edi tor of the Kansas City Journal-Post. It appears most likely that congress will make guick work of knocking out the publicity clause, for Senator Put Harrison says he favors its repeal, and some other Democratic Tenders are known to agree with him.

TUAN CHI-JUI, Anfu leader, is now both premier and dicentor of China, having been installed at the head of the new provisional government in Peking by Chang Tso-lin. The government is regarded as conservative and has strong hones of harmon zing the Mukden and Yangtse fac tions. At Chang's request none of his adherents is in the cabinet, and none of Feng's men included. Indeed, the elimination of Feng is complete. He announced that he would resign his command and retire from the army and would make a tour of America or Europe.

Charging by implication that all political disorders in China are caused largely by missionary education, the bina Educational conference in Kaifeng passed resolutions demanding close government regulation of all institutions of learning operated by American and other foreign missionaries in China and that all teaching of religion by missionaries in China be stopped.

O PPONENTS of President Mustapha Kemal of Turkey have succeeded to the extent of forcing the esignation of Isinet Pasha, his mler, and the appointment of Fethi Bey, who formerly held that post.

In Italy, too, the opposition has scored to some extent, for Premier Mussolini, in order to avert a parlinmentary break with his friends, promised in the chamber of deputies to prosecute sternly the Facisti guilty of excesses against the population, and try, and her funeral was attended by also to moderate the utterances of the Fascisti, beginning with himself. He

attacked the war veterans victory demonstration, and admitted that the country was deserting the Fascisti. But he warned the chamber that if he were overthrown, the government would revert to the Communists. He

WILLIAM J. FAHY, long considered the best thief catcher among guns of the Japanese mays. That, the postal inspectors, was convicted however, is due not to the attitude of in the Federal court in Chicago complicity in the \$2,000,000 mail our guns in the face of the British a small politician, also was found view that such procedure would be a guilty. Six others implicated had conviolation of the treaty.

There is a shortage of officers and the pententiary. Fahy still insists he men properly to man the ships. The was "framed" by other members of enlisted personnel is limited to \$6,000. the postal inspection force.

Another ulleged Chicago criminal has been caught and must stand trial. He is Leo Koretz, who is charged with swindling many of his friends out of sams amounting to several million dolwas found in Hallfax, N. S., disguised by a full beard and cutting quite a splurge in society with his ill-gotten money.

ONCE more the American Federa tion of Labor voted to adhere to its long-time policy of nonpartisan-ship in politics, rejecting almost unanimously two resolutions, either of which would have committed its membership to the support of a new party. The committee report against the resolutions, which was adopted, said: "Our nonpartisan political policy loes not imply that we shall ignore the existence or attitudes of political parties. It does mean that labor proposes to use all parties and be used by none.

"Your committee unequivocally rec ommends full approval and indorse ment of the attitude and activities manifested and engaged in on the recent presidential and congressional political campaign. We rejoice in the results achieved in the congressional elections and are inspired by the future opportunities presented to America's wage carners.

"Labor having succeeded in elections where congress, and congress alone, was the issue, the effort was made in this recent election to recon-quer congress under the guise of a presidential election, declared to be of paramount issue. Our nonnartisan nolitical policy withstood the test and issued forth triumphant with its forces intact. The opponents having played their strongest card and having failed, the future belongs to labor

Samuel Compers was elected president for the forty-fourth time, and Frank Morrison was re-elected secretary. Atlantic City, N. J., was selected as the convention city for 1925.

THERE will be at least three election contests for the senate to decide in the next congress. Daniel F. Steck Democrat, who was defeated by Senator Brookhart of Iowa by 755 votes, thinks ballots that were thrown out may give him the seat. Senator. Bursum of New Mexico. Republican. and Senator Magnus Johnson of Minnesota, Farmer-Labor, will contest the elections of S. C. Bratton, Democrac and Schall, Republican, respectively,

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE settled the matter of a secretary of agricul-ture by appointing Acting Secretary Gore to hold the place until he be comes governor of Maryland on March Middle Western Republicans an-

pear dissatisfied with the representation of that part of the country in the cabinet, and some of them have recmmended that M. E. Greenebaum, Chicago banker, he given a portfolio. They also hope John L. Lewis of Indianapolis, head of the mine workers, will be given the post of secretary of labor on the retirement of Mr. Davis.

FLORENCE KLING HARDING, atter a brave fight but a losing one, the at rest beside her bushand, the late President, in the vault at Marion Ohio. The death of this beloved woman brought expressions of sorrow from people of all parts of the counmany notables, including representatives of the administration.

country is said to be beneath the heel against the Georgians. A huge mound just outside Pita bears mute testimony to the massacre of 450 Pitans, who dug their own grave at the point of Red

> The Russian government will derive the tiny Georgian republic.

Michigan

**Happenings** ordered the Department of State to defer the sale of 1925 automobile license plates until Feb. 1, pending the possible enactment of the Finance Highway Law by the legislature, Governor Groesbeck favors a combination weight and gasoline tax, he de-clared, following the board meeting. Figuring at the rate of 70 cent per hundred, the license fee, on a weight basis, would be about \$16,000,000 and 2-cent gasoline tax, with more than 800,000 cars now in operation, would net around \$7,000,000

The Consumers' Power Co., of Bay City, has purchased from the Flint Land Co. the flowage rights on the Rifle River, which include sites for four power dams with a maximum capacity, when developed, of about horsepower. The company plans ultimately to build dams and his power in with that produced on the Au Sable River, but there will be no immediate construction.

With 12 precincts yet to be countthrown out by the board of canvassers in the recount on the sheriff's election at Jackson. Tabulation of the 52 precincts showed that Sheriff Stoddard, Democrat, had made a net majority with only 12 precincts miss-

The state operated cement plant at Chelsea showed a profit of \$200,000 up to November 1, according to a report submitted to the administrative board. The Chelsea plant was leased by the state several months ago for three years at \$75,000 a year. Prison labor is employed in making the cement.

Contracts for remodeling, repairing and enlarging the Escanaba coal docks of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway at a cost of approximate ly \$500,000, will be let soon. The docks were badly damaged by the fire which on Oct. 23, destroyed two iron ore docks with a loss of \$1,500,-

The crew of the steamer J. C. Ford was rescued after a narrow escape from death when the boat was destroyed by fire off Little Trout island, near the town of Detour. The steamer was owned by William J. Crosby, of Port Huron. She was 172 feet long and had a beam of 33 feet.

Irate fishermen of Jackson county are up in arms over the ruling of fishing shall cease in Jackson county January 1 until June 15. The ruling ner it was discharged has been approved by the state conservation commission.

plant of the Port Huron Times-Her-ald, caused a loss of \$5,000 according to estimates. The fire of undetermined origin, started in a pile of paper damaged several ink rollers, and dangered several barrels of oil and a

John Snyder, 65 years old, a farm er who lived five miles south of Ma- for killing the two birds. son, was killed instantly when his automobile was struck by a northbound Michigan Central passenger train company, Cleveland, O., plans to near the Michigan United Railway abandon the Fut-in-Bay and Toledo

John C. Lodge, Acting Mayor of Detroit since July 18, when he succeeded to the Mayor's chair through the

Levi Marriott, 66 years old, died at avenues. Owosso of injuries suffered last August when he was struck by a runaway horse. His injuries were believed slight.

The branch of the Detroit Creamery Co., Royal Oak, was robbed. The watchman found the front doors open and the large office safe containing \$1,200, gone.

It cost Mayor John W. Smith's friends \$3,640 to elect him according lege. to his expense account field with County Clerk Thomas Farrell of Detroit.

George Bade, 6 years old, of Holand, was fatally injured whelf run down by an automobile driven by William Neis.

School electors, at a special meet ing at Algonac, voted to bond the district for \$10,000 to purchase school furniture.

Mrs. Charles Heath was killed by Grand Trunk switch engine in the Grand Trunk tunnel yards while crossing the tracks at the Sixteenth street crossing at Port Huron, Severat cars had passed over her body be-

George Brooks, 22 years old, Marshall, was sentenced by Judge Leonard D. Verdier to serve from 18 months to 3 years in the State Prison at Jackson when he admitted having abandoned his infant daughter, Grace.

Richard Elliott, of Ypsilanti, has been reappointed under-sheriff by James "obinson, of Ann Arbor. John Connors, Max Mat, Fred Babcock and Stanton Ferguson were appointed deputy sheriffs for this section of the

By a vote of 696 to 504, Ypsilanti voted it favor of issuing bonds for \$175,000 for the purchase of additionthe Woodruff school.

C. R. Wilson Body company, J. C. Vidman and Company, the Towson Body company, have been combined into a new corporation to be affiliated with the J. W. Murray Manufacturing company and are to known as the Murray Body corporation. The The State Administrative Board has new corporation will have a total payroll of 7,500 workers, and at the present time has a normal capacity of 20,000 closed and 10,000 open bodies month. The corporation is to be capitalized for \$12,300,000, divided into

bonds, 8% cumulative preferred stock

and common stock.

Ralph L. Tuttle, of Grand Rapids, president of the Michigan Traffic eague, declares that a single organization should take the initiative in opposing readjustment of eastern trunk line freight rates that would affect the central freight association territory, This is a general readjust-ment affecting the entire state, and the class rate undoubtedly will reflect on the measure and relationship of commodity rates in the future and one organization should take the lead in opposing the adjustment, according to Tuttle.

A transaction which is regarded as one of the most important in the railroad history of Muskegon, is to be carried out here within a short time. It has been announced that securities holders in the Muskegon Railway and ed, a total of 3,078 votes has been Navigation company, known as the Belt Line, has approved an agreement with the Grand Trunk Western lines whereby the latter company is to take over the stock in the Belt line and operate it as a part of its Muskegon gain of four votes, giving him a 1,220 terminal, which might eventually nake Muskegon its western Michigan terminal.

> The following officers were elected at the closing session of the University Press Club, at Ann Arbor: Presi lent, Al L. Miller, Battle Creek; vicepresidents, Arthur H. Vandenburg, Grand Rapids; Murl De Foe, Charlotte; Arthur Treanon, Saginaw; secretary and treasurer; Prof. John L. Brumm, Ann Arbor.

Deaths from automobile accidents in Michigan during the first nine months of the year, increased 33 per eent, totaling 579 as against 437 for the same period last year, according to reports by Dr. W. J. V. Deacon, head of the Division of Records, State Health Department, at Lansing.

Dorothy Paauwe, 5, daughter of Peer Paauwe, of Grand Rapids, died from effects of poisoning resulting from an apparently slight wound on the right heel, a cause of death similar to that of Calvin Coolidge, Jr. The child was at play a week ago when blisters developed.

Kurt Francis Holstein, 14 years old, living near Argyle, was killed instantly while hunting muskrats on the banks of the city drain near here John Baird, director of the Michigan Holstein was leaning on his gun, both department of conservation, that all hands resting over the top of the weapon, when in some unknown man

The Wednesday Afternoon Club Scholarship at Carnegie Institute of The fire which swept a part of the Technology, Pittsburgh, Pa., has been to William P. Bitler, Grand Rapids, who is a senior in the hemical engineering college there.

One pheasant and one partridge proved costly to four Detroit men who were arraigned in Justice court at Owosso on a charge of violating the game laws. They paid \$45 each

The Cleveland & Buffalo Transit division of its Lake Erie line in 1925. according to announcement by T. F. Newman, president.

Frank Klein, 41 years old and his resignation of Joseph A. Martin, has wife, Victoria, 38, of Detroit, were resumed his seat in the Council, be killed when their automobile was coming presiding officer of that body, struck by a Detroit-bound Mt. Clemens car at Gratiot and Glenfield

> A special election will be held in the village of Carleton, 10 miles northwest of Mohroe, December 22 for the purpose of raising \$35,000 with a view to installing a waterworks

Robert J. Brown, of Ypsilanti, was named captain of the Michigan foot ball team at the annual election Brown is a junior in the Literary col

Mark Brown, 21, of Coldwater, was instantly killed when he accidentally shot himself while duck hunting on Morrison lake.

James Nelson, 45, of Marquette, who shot himself accidentally while deer hunting, cled from the effects.

The new route of State Trunk Line M-17, through Ypsilanti, was opened for traffic Thanksgiving Day.

George Klemm, 40 years old, was instantly killed and Sheriff Theodore Trudell was seriously injured when the latter's car collided with a touring car in Bay City.

Pointing a gun at George Greger River Rouge, cost John Wittman Dearborn, \$3.06 to the municipal court of River Rouge. John R. Valois, justice of the peace, declared that Gre ger has been scared 6 cents' worth and awarded him damages to that ex tent. The \$3 was for costs.

Announcement is made of the com plete merger of the Congregationa and Presbyterian churches of Lud ington, including all assets, and lia bilities, the organization to be known henceforth as the Community church of Ludington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Wright recently celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage. Forty-five year at land adjacent to the high school, of their wedded life has been speni and the erection of an addition to at Lakeview. Ar. Wright is 81 years old and his wife 80.

MAKING GOOD IN A SMALL TOWN

Real Stories About Real Girls

By MRS. HARLAND H. ALLEN

RUNNING A RABBITRY

RABBITS, it is true, don't furnish eggs! But, otherwise, in the advantages their raising offers, they closely parallel that other friend of the small fown or country girithe chicken. And the larger varieties resemble

turkey, rather than chicken, in the

quantity of meat they develop. So reusons a little high school girl 1 know, who has been running her back yard bunny farm for three years.
"You don't have to bother much about experience, special education or expense, when you go into the rubbit raising business," she declares, "all you need is a corner of your own back

yard. In fact, it costs less to produce rabbit meat than it does to supply chicken for the table." An empty dry goods box was what this girl used for her first hutch, but she was careful to keep it clean and dry. She had a sliding screen door on the front of the box to provide ventilation; small holes at the top, she said, will provide the necessary air with even less trouble. At night and during storms, she carried the hutch into an empty shed. The rabbit raiser must make sure of some

such sheltered place she can take her rabbles when necessary. She should secure animals that are large, and of sound, hardy, stock. The Belgian have is best for food purposes, because of its great weight, rapid development and superior meat

quality.
The rabbit raiser may feed her creatures anything from the garden that would otherwise go to waste. She will have to store green food for them

She should not handle young rabbits. She should write to the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., asking for bulletins No. 496 and No. 131C, which will give her complete information about the business and prevent her making any bad mistakes.

At four months, the little rabbits, which should now weigh about six pounds, are ready for market. The rabbit raiser should try to sell them to a poultry dealer. If the rabbits are to be sold alive on the market, all that is necessary is to crate them. But when they are to be delivered dressed, they should be carefully packed, so that they will not arrive in messy condition. Dressed rabbits. come to the buyer in an unattractive condition are the worst of dvertisements.

DOLL-DRESS SET STYLES ON "MAIN STREET"

BRINGING Fifth Avenue to Main Street, via the doll-dressing route, has been "the making" of one young girl whose only capital was her orig-

"Heavens! what can any girl do in a dinky little town like this?" was her first thought when she finished school and began to look around for "something to do." But one day, Jean, now official doll-dresser for a little Oklahoma town, happened to notice her little sister's doll. Little sister had it tied up in a sort of pli-low-slip looking garment of her own concoction, and Jean thought, "why not give the doll a decent dress?"

"Well. I made her a real Paris creation while I was at it—I'd had a brief trip to New York just after school was out," Jean confided to me.
"The result was so chic that it not only pleased little sister, and made her playmates want their dolls dressed likewise, but also interested the mothers. In a short time, I had a small business that has grown steadily."

Jean makes complete costumes for her patrons' dolls. Stockings, from discarded silk hose; little shoes from old kid gloves; miniature silk vests, step-ins, defectable nightles, dresses, wraps and hats are all "made overs" from discarded clothes. They are carefully made, and the tiny label "Jennne" in each miniature hat or gown gives the final Fifth Avenue touch-but not to the pocket-book, for ner prices are reasonable.

Although Jean says no advertising necessary, the girl who wants to dress dolls professionally may advertise in the local paper; or telephone all the women she knows who have children of the doll-craving age.

Her biggest business will, of course, be before Christmas time, but there are plenty of birthdays throughout the year. A spring style show, too will stimulate business. To further supplement her business.

the doll modiste may furn instructor in slack senson. She could take a class of little girls once a week, teaching them how to make their own dollclothes. A busy mother will welcome the upportunity to see that her children leave to sew and trim. The modiste-instructor should let the children make clothes for any kind of doll like-the baby doll, the child loll, the character doll, the grown-up doll.

She should keep patterns and suggestions, watch shops and magazines for latest ideas. It may eventually be whispered of her on "Main Street" as it was of Jean, that mothers are getting style ideas from the costumes worn by their children's dolls.

Much in Little

Potato bugs cost American farmers \$25,000,000 annually. Automobiles are beginning to place camels in Mongolia,

Chinese now use vacuum bottles keep their ten hot when traveling. Gases, important in the commercial world, are obtained from the air by Hauefying it under heavy pressure.

The greatest part of Greenland is now covered by an ice sheet similar to which covered eastern North America during the Ice age.

**MARKETS** 

U. S. BUREAU OF MARKETS

Fruits and Vegetables

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New York sacked round white potatoes nearly steady at \$1.05@1.15 per 100 pounds in New York and Baltimore; slightly weaker at \$5c f. o. b. Rochester. Northern sacked round whites, some fair quality, weak at \$0@55c carlot sales in Chicago; slightly weaker at 70c f. o. b. Cabbage advanced \$4@10 in leading markets; \$2@6 higher at shipping points. New York Danish type mostly \$20@25c bulk per ton, top of \$28 in Clienjanat; \$12 @16 f. o. b. Rochester. Northern Danish type \$1 sacked per 100 pounds in Chicago. Onions slightly weaker in Chicago, slightly stronger in orther leading markets and at shipping points. New York yellow varieties ranged \$1.85@2.35 sacked per 100 pounds in eastern cities; \$1.80@2 f. o. b. Rochester. Midwestern yellows \$1.75@2.35 in consuming centers, top of \$2.50 ln New York. Celery unsettled. New York Golden Self-Blanching closed at \$2.25@2.25 in consuming centers, top of \$2.50 ln New York Colden is leading markets, top of \$3 ln Chicago, \$2.25 f. o. b. Rochester. New York Baldwin apples soid at \$5@.50 per barrel in Pittshurgh, Illinois Jonathans \$7.50@8 in Chicago.

Live Stock and Meats

Chicago hog prices ranging from 5 to 60 cents lower, \$8.50 for the top and \$8.50 cents.

Live Stock and Meats
Calcago hog prices ranging from 5 to
70 cents lower, \$9.50 for the top and \$8.
©9 for the bulk. Medium and good beef
steers 50@75 cents higher at \$7@12.25;
butcher cows and heifers 25 cents higher
\$3.25@11.25; feeder steers 25 cents.
higher at \$4.50@7.50; light and medium
weight veal calves 75 cents higher at
\$8.25@10.25.
In eastern wholesale freely meat migra-

\$8.25@10.25.
In eastern wholesale fresh meat markets boef is \$1.50 lower; yeel \$2 lower; amb \$1 lower; mutton steady to \$1 higher, and pork loins \$3 lower to \$1.50 higher. Prices of good grade meats: Beef \$1.3 @17; yeal \$14@17; lamb \$20@23; mutton \$12@17 and light pork loins \$15@19; heavy loins \$12.50@17. Butter

Butter markets firm and higher, Principal feature was continued scarcity of fine grades. Greater interest in storage butter and withdrawals heavy. Production still decreasing.

Closing prices 92 score. New York 471-2c; Chicago 501-2c; Philadelphia 48c; Boston 40c.

Hav.

Boston 46c.

Hay

Hay market draggy, weather is dominating factor. Receipts and demand both light. Timothy dull with accumulations of low grades in some markets. Alfaira steady, with light receipts balancing sharply reduced demand. Prairie firm with stockyards taking good quality hay.

Quoted: No. 1 timothy Pittsburgh \$21; Cincinnati \$18.50; Chicago \$24; Memphis \$2. No. 1 alfaira; Kansas City \$21.75; Omaha \$17; Memphis \$27, No. 1 prairie. Omaha \$12.50; Chicago \$17; Minneapolis \$17.50.

Grain

Grain

Grain markets unsettled. Wheat futures down from high point but 21-2@31-2 cents higher on quiet pre-holiday market. Bullish private estimates and fears of wet harvest in Argentina balanced lower foreign markets. Corn futures barely steady after decline of 4@51-2c on favorable weather and expectation of more liberal offerings. Oats lower with corn. Good demand cash wheat, especially soft red winter, but demand was less active for corn at Kansas City.

Quoted: No. 1 dark northern, Minneapolis \$1.53 1-2@1.74 1-2. No. 2 red winter. St. Louis \$1.674.172; Kansas City \$1.62. No. 2 hard winter. Chicago \$1.54; St. Louis \$1.54-2@1.74 1-2. No. 2 mixed corn. Chicago \$1.12@1.12 1-2. Minneapolis \$1.08 1-2@1.12 1-2. No. 2 vellow corn. Chicago \$1.13 1-2@1.14 1-2. Minneapolis \$1.14 1-2. No. 2 white corn. Chicago \$1.13 1-2@1.14 1-2. Whinneapolis \$1.09 1-2@1.12 7. No. 2 white corn. Chicago \$1.12@1.13; St. Louis \$1.09 11; Kansas City \$1.08. No. 2 white corn. Chicago \$1.12.12 1. No. 2 white corn. Chicago \$1.12.13; St. Louis \$1.09 12.11; Kansas City \$1.05 1-2@1.04. No. 2 white corn. Chicago \$1.12.13; St. Louis \$1.09 1.11; Kansas City \$1.05 1-2@1.06. No. 2 white coats. Chicago \$0.1-2@52c. Minneapolis \$1.09 1-2.06.2c. Minneapolis \$8.5-8c; St. Louis \$2.1-2@52c.

East Buffalo Live Stock EAST BUIFALO-Cattle: Slow. Hogs: Steady; heavy, \$3.50; mixed, \$9@3.10; yorkers, \$8@8.75; pigs and lights, \$6@8.58; heep; Strong; top lambs, \$14.25; yearlings, \$10@11.50; wethers, \$5.50@9; ewes, \$7@7.50. Calves, \$12.

DETROIT QUOTATIONS

Live Stock.

CATTLE—Good to choice light year-lings (dry fed). \$8.50@10.50: best heavy steers (dry fed). \$8.50@10.50: best heavy steers (dry fed). \$7.50@9.50: best handy-weight butcher steers. \$5@5.50: handy light butchers, \$4.26%; light butchers, \$3.26\* best cows, \$4.26%; butcher cows, \$3.25.26%; cutters, \$2.50@2.75: canners, \$2@2.50: choice light buils, \$3.76@4; bologna buils (heavy), \$4.25@4.50: stock buils, \$3.26; feders, \$4.50@5.75: stockers, \$3.26.75: milkers and springers, \$45.08.51: milkers and springers, \$45.08.51: odd. \$7.50.75: dockers, \$3.26.75: milkers and springers, \$45.08.51: dockers, \$3.26.75: milkers and springers, \$45.08.51: stockers, \$3.26.75: milkers and springers, \$45.08.51: stockers, \$3.26.75: milkers and springers, \$45.08.51: Delta Stockers, \$3.26.75: Delta Stocker

to good. \$8.50@11; culls and common. \$5

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SHEEP AND LAMBS—Best lambs, \$13.50@13.90; fair lambs, \$102.50; light to common lambs, \$7@9; buck lambs, \$6

#13; fair to good sheep, \$6@7; culls and common; \$2.50@3.50

HOGS—Mixed hogs, \$9; pigs, \$6.25; roughs, \$8; heavy yorkers, \$8.50; light yorkers, \$7.25; stags, \$5@6.

LIVE FOULTRY — Spring chickens, fancy, 41-2 lbs, 22c; medium chickens, fancy, 41-2 lbs, 22c; medium chickens, 50c; leghorns, 136; best hens, 5 bs up, 22c; medium hens, 20@21c; leghorns and small, 15c; old rootsers, 15@16c; geese, 17

#18c; ducks, large white, 20c; small, dark 17@18c; best turkeys, 30c per lb, No. 2 turkeys, 25c; old toms, 27@25c.

Grain

176 18c; best through the state of the state

BUCKWHEAT—Milling, \$2.25@2.30 per cwt.

SEEDS -- Prime red clover, \$19.40;
March, \$19.50; alsike, \$12.50; timothy, \$3.10.

HAY AND STRAW—No. 1 t'mothy, \$18.70; standard, \$17@18; light mixed, \$17.70; standard, \$17.70; leover mixed, \$15@18; No. 2 timothy, \$10@11; No. 1 clover mixed, \$15@18; No. 1 clover, \$15@16; wheat and oat straw, \$10.5(@11; restraw, \$12.50@13 per ton.

FEED—Winter wheat bran, \$75; spr!ng wheat bran, \$34; standard middlings, \$15; tone, middlings, \$15; coarse commeal, \$48; chop, \$37 per ton in FOOLM—Datra fancy spring wheat patent, \$9.70; standard spring wheat patent, \$9.70; standard winter wheat patent, \$9.90; standard winter wheat patent, \$9.90; standard winter wheat patent, \$7.90 per bbl.

Butter and Eggs

Butter and Eggs BUTTER-No. 1 creamery, in tubs, 37 @44c per lb.
EGGS—Fresh receipts. 50@54c; cold storage, 35@37 1-2e; coast whites, 58@67c per doz.

Farm Produce GRAPES—New York Concord, in two-quart baskets, 30c. CALIFORNIA GRAPES — Malaga grapes, \$2.50@3: emperors, \$2.25@2.50 per 25-1b lug.

granes, \$2.50@3; emperors, \$2.25@2.50 per 25-b log.
CABBAGE—50@75c per bu.
CRANBERRIES—Cape Cod. \$5@5.25 per 50-b loox; late Howe, \$6.50@7 per 50-la log.
APPLES—Wolf River, 1.50@1.75.
Snow, \$1.75@2.25; Jonathosh, \$1.75@2.59.
DRESSED CALVES Best country dressed, 12.00 per bu. western, boxes, \$2.25@3.
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Incar lots, \$1.40 per 150-lb. sach boxing potatoes in small lots, \$3 per box of 50.
Idaho baking, \$2.75.73 per 160-lb. sach.
DRESSED POULTRY—In burrels of 200 lbs: Dry picked turkeys, \$2.60.40c.
Scalded geose, 16@18c; scalded ducks, 25.62.

Roosevelt Memorial To Be Unveiled New York-The Rough Riders' As-

sociation, the Rotary Club of Santiago and the Roosevelt Memorial Association will join in unveiling at Santiago, Cuba, Dec. 14, a memorial to Theodore Roosevelt. The memorial is in the form of a bust executed by James Earle Frazer against a granite background by Henry Bacon, designer of the Lincoln Memorial. Upon the granite are carved in Spanish the words of Roosevelt: "Only those are at to live who do not fear to die,

Tell Harrowing Tales of Soviet Cruelties

Mobile,-Officers and crew of the Greek steamer Margarita, arriving here 40 days out from Pita, Russia, on the Black sea, with manganese ore told tales of crucky and outrages against the people of the state of

Georgia in the Soviet empire. The vessel touched at Plta ten days after wholesule murders of Georgians,

of Red Russia. A famine is predicted in parts of

Russin this winter. Members of the crew who went ashore at Constantinople reported that city rapidly declining. The ancient city of Byzantium, at one time the largest foreign center in the East, is being abandoned by all except the natives.

The Greek senmen of the Margarita reported the Russian Reds are conwhose population of that unfortunate ducting a campaign of extermination

55 per cent from the profits of the Margarita's cargo, and the owner 45 per cent. This is the result of the Soviet confiscation of 55 per cent of all manganese deposits, a step toward complete nationalization of the mangamese mines, a source of wealth to

guns, and then were executed,

### The KITCHEN **CABINET**

(@, 1924; Western Newspaper Union.) I know not in what metal I have wrought. Nor whether what I fashion will be thrust Beneath the clods that hide for-gotten thought.

But if it is of gold it will not rust,
And when the time is ripe it will
be brought
Into the sun, and glitter through
its dust.
—Eugene Lee-Hamilton

### HOME CANDY MAKING

There are few homes where the young people do not delight to make their own Christmas candies. Here are a few simple recipes that even the beginner will find eńsy to muke.

Peanut Brittle,-Take two cupfuls of granulated sugar, put into a smooth iron frying pan and set over the heat

Stir constantly while it is melting and when a golden-brown pour over a cupful of shelled penhuts which have been placed in a buttered dripping pan Cool and break into pieces. For yariety just before taking from the heat add one-fourth of a tenspoonful of soda, stir well then pour over the nuts. This is a peanut brittle which is not so hard and is liked better by many on that account.

College Cream.—Boll logether one pound of brown sugar, and one cupful of water until it hardens in water. Beat the white of an egg yery stift and pour the hot sugar over it, beating all the time; when it begins to be creamy add a half-cupful or more of broken

Chocolate Caramels.—Put two and one-half tablespoonfuls of butter into one-min tablespoonius or butter into a kettle; when melted add two cupfuls of blolasses, one cupful of brown sugar and one-half cupful of inilk. Stir until the sugar is dissolved and when the boiling point is reached add three squares of chocolate, stir constantly until the chocolate is melted. Boil until a firm ball can be gathered with the fingers from a drop, put into cold water. Add vanilla and turn into buttered pans to cool. Mark in squares before it is too hard.

Glace.—This is a glace which may be used for dipping fruit or nuts. Boil two cupfuls of sugar, one cupful of water and one-eighth of a teaspoonful of cream of tartur to 290 degrees Fahr. without stirring. Check the heat by placing the saucepan in cold water, then immediately place it in a pan of boiling water to keep the glace in condition for dipping.

Lemon Honey.-Take one cupful of augar, one-eighth cupful of butter, one large lemon, grated rind and juice, two eggs, one soda cracker rolled fine as flour. Cook all together until the con-Cook all together until the consistency of honey.

In the fell clutch of circumstance I have not winced nor cried aloud. Under the bludgeonings of chance My head is bloody, but unbowed.

It matters not how straight the

gate.

How charged with punishment the scroll.

I am the master of my fate.

I am the captuln of my soul.

—Henley.

### CAKES FOR CHRISTMAS TIME

If one wishes to give a very choice and acceptable present at holiday time there is none which will



terials alone will be quite an item if

many cakes are prepared. Sponge Cake for Two.-Beat the yolks of two eggs until light, and add one-half cupful of sifted sugar and one eighth tenspoonful of cream of tar-tur dissolved in one tenspoonful of cold water Best again till very light add the grated red of one-quarter of a lemon or orange. Then add alternately, one-half cupful of sifted flour and stiffly benten egg whites. Bak in a lightly greased floured pan forty minutes or in patty tins.

Luncheon Eclairs. Bake the usual cream puff in very small finger-sized When ready to serve, slit the puff at the side and fill with a mixture of finely diced bacon cooked crisply, and moistened with chutney; serve If chutney is not to be obtained little chill sauce may be used Serve with the saind course.

The little people especially love to make things. With a little paste and pretty will paper they may cover plain boxes and make them very heautiful.

These they will like to fill with pickedout nutments, candy or Christma cakes or cookies.

A large, inexpensive basket may be decorated with ground pine and filled with things like the above, adding apples, a jar of homemade mincement a bottle of grape juice, as well as fruit cake, cookles or mince ple. One may vary the gift to suit the taste of the one who is to receive it.

### Neceie Maxwell

### Identifying Finger Prints

The prints of no two individuals are exactly alike. The lines shown in a finger print consist of a series of and these are classified by their direction and appearance in such a way as to fit into a card index scheme. The finger-print expert, by looking at the print, can place its rela five appearance and then run through his cards in the section which contains prints of similar appearance uncomes to the exact one he is tooking for.

### **BRUSHED WOOL SWEATERS:** FEATHER TRIMS POPULAR

L ET'S be optimistic and count our blessings from a fashion standpoint. Why not start our list of winter joys for which we are duly appreclative with the words "brushed wool"? If there is one vogue more than another for which we would render a vote of thanks to stylists responsible therefor, it is that of the lovely "com-

thuslastic about some one item that appears in the modes. All at once designers seem to think by day and dream by night of this particular fea-ture of the styles. Just now those who make hats for stars in the social firmament or for those whose names stand for vast incomes, are trimming ty" brushed wool knitted things which them (the hats, of course) with the



One of the Brushed Wool Sweaters.

out the senson's modes.

Seems as if most everything in the way of knitted outerwear has taken upon itself a downy soft surface. which fashionists are pleased to ex-ploit as "brushed wool." Especially are swenters expressing themselves in terms of brushed wool. Even the lightweight ones for sunny southern wear show this tendency, for there are degrees and degrees of brushed wool ranging from mere suggestion to shag-glest fur-like effects. Orange and white brushed wool makes a pleasing color scheme in the sweater here pictured. There is unique contrast in collar and cuffs of solid orange brushed wear without a twinge of conscience wool, with the belt, the pockets and Ostrich, peacock, coque, goose, pheas

in brushed wool knitted garments, there is also favor expressed for solid gay colored models. Especially do the heavier, shaggier sweaters flaunt strik-

radiate their colorful charm through- niriest and most expensive plumage ised lavishly on wonderfully becoming shapes, usually of velvet. The shapes show trifling variations of the season's accepted styles.

It is not always so easy to be, at the same time, gorgeous and elegant, but these new, feather-trimmed hats ac complish it—therefore they have been adopted and adapted in America and four of them appear in the group pic-tured here. Some of the fine feathers which do not always make fine birds, are forbidden to us—us the heron the front hem of smooth plain knit, ant, in their original state, or so dis-While plaids are strongly endorsed guised that we do not recognize them, contribute satisfactory feather trim-ming for American millinery. The hat at the top of the group pictured is of black hatter's plush with



How Paris Trims 'Em.

ing monotone effects, such as bright pompon and "feather duster" mongreen, vivid orange, red or pure white. These often appear in jacquette sli-

latest types revel in exquisite heather brushed angora wool sweaters follow sleeves and a high collar. Some of the handsomest sort boast large fancy celluloid buttons.

Very interesting colors expressed in sweaterdom this season include brown, carrot, various tan shades, powder blue, Lanvin green and bright jockey red which is quite the smart note for

winter knitted togs, Every once or twice in a while (and a very short while at that), a

ture, which leaves us to guess as to what sort of plumage it is. It is fine houettes, frequently sans trimining of and shiny, with little touches of white any sort, although there are some stunning models with collars and cufts of hat with velvet facing has an interesting back brim, accented by a group Among brushed wool sweaters, the of airy algrettes, imitating the ex quisite plumage of the heron. To the Often these new heather left a daring velvet tam borrows dig-angora wool sweaters follow nity from the fan of glycerined lines, with cuffless full ostrich used in such profusion at one side. The tall satin hat at the lower right is made distinctive by the lavish feather funcy that it supports. Modestly presenting its claims last, is an eccentric sailor shape of silk with velvet facing. The brim is much extended at the left side and lest we for get to notice it, places a floral ap-

plique where it will attract attention. JULIA BOTTOMLEY. (C. 1924, Western Newspaper Union.

### In Gayest of Shades

Handkerchiefs, whether of chiffon or linen, come in the gayest of shades. Their brilliance enhanced by corner embroideries-lines, knots and flowers -in vivid greens, reds, purples and

### Shawl Cape in Favor

The shawl cape is increasing in favor. On the cont-frock it is often of plaid to contrast with the frock itself and frequently it is in kasha, no matter what the frock material,

### Now the Filigree Bracelets

The vogue for costume jewelry has rought into the foreground all sorts of fascinating trifles. At the moment is the fashion to wear many brace lets and among the most attractive ar those of Genoese filigree work in gold or silver.

### Effect of Contrast

Collar, cuffs and a band of white fox around the hottom add to the chi' of a three-quarter length coat of leop

### SOAPSUD REUNION

Every once in awhite oh more often than that the members of the Soapsud family held a family reunion. They had a very good time in their soapsuds fashion. Perhaps you wouldn't enjoy their kind of a good time, but then you're not a soapsud, and as many a wise and truthful person has said, it all depends on the way you look at a thing or in your "point of view" as they say, There were Susy Soapsud and Sam-

my Soapsud, Solomon Soapsud, Sheffield Scapsud and Sidney Scapsud. Of course Mamma Sonpsud was

there and Papa Sonpsud, too.

Teacher Spots was on hand and Professor Dirty Clothes, for they were such old friends of the family that they always came to the family re-

In fact they were almost thought of as belonging to the family.

No longer did either the professor

or the teacher have to say:
"Now, pray don't put yourselves out on my account. Just let me take what you're going to have yourselves and let me feel as one of the fam

dy."

They didn't have to say this any more. And when they had a soapsuds banquet and soapsuds food and foamy sonpsuds water, which they all loved everyone was quite at home.

One pleasant thing about the banquet was that no one had to bother bout manners.

didn't ent at a table. They held their banquet right in the wash

You see they were all "the family" and didn't have to make any fuss. "Well," said Professor Dirty Clothes,

"I see we've got a good crowd this week." He always said that when there was a big wash. A good crowd to him meant a big wash.

"Yes," said Teacher Spots, "lots of epresentative spots." The Soapsud children had all been taught by Teacher Spots just what

that meant He had told them that representalive men were men who were impor



"There, There," Said Papa Soapsuc

tant in their different lines, and who represented or stood for something rather high up and important. When he spoke of representative spots he meant good, big, important,

interesting spots.

"I hope I'll be able to handle then all," said Mamma Sonpsud. "There, there," sald Papa Soapsud, 'you always get nervous at the be-

ginning of each wash. But they always go so well! "They turn out splendidly and you're a fine Manima Soapsud."
"Thank you; my dear;" sald Mam-

ma Soapsud to Papa Soapsud.

As she said this she drew her soap suds hand across her soapsuds face and wiped it with her soapsuds handkerwhich of course didn't dry it in

But as she hadn't wished to dry it, that didn't matter at all!

"I do hope they'll get at

bing soon," said Professor Dirty "The scrubbing board is needed tolay," he added.

'Oh, yes," said Susy Soapsud. "they're going to begin the scrubbing "Hurrah," said Solomon Soapsud 'now for some games and some fun."

"Now for some games and some "Now for some games and some fun," chimed in Sammy Soapsud. "Hurrah!" shouted Sheffield Soap

"Goodle!" said Sidney Sonpsud. What a good time they did have! Mamma Soapsud looked at Papa soapsud and said.

"How happy the dears are!" And Papa Soapsud looked at Mamma Soapsud and said exactly the same thing.

The professor spoke of it and so did Teacher Spots and the washtub was the most gloriously happy Soap-sud playground ever seen. Although, it is true, they thought the same each week! Not a single

week seemed less happy than any other week.

### Candy Cat Not Lost

Little Dorothy had been presented with a small candy cat and it furnished amusement for nearly a week. One day, however, it was missing and her mother asked her if she had lost it.
"No. mamma," replied little Dorothy, "me didn't losed it, me des played wif it till it dot so dirty me des had

### The Vengeance of Time

"Jenn, aged nine, and Camille, sev n, were having a heated discussion. "I am seven years old," sald Camille "And I am nine," replied Jean. "But I shall be nine, too."

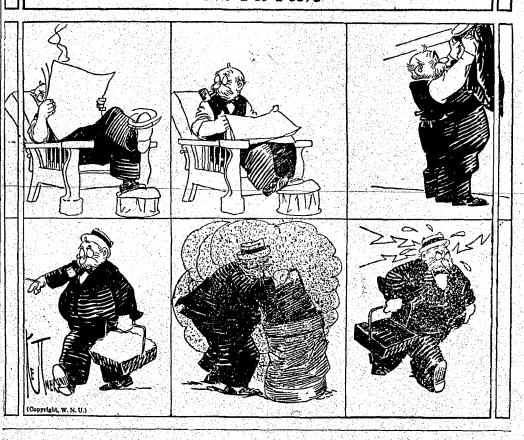
"Yes, but then I'll be eleven—he Camille, at once annoyed and out raged, looked for a crushing retort.

de Paris.

"Yes, of course you'll be eleven when I'm nine. Well, you'll be an old woman before I am, that's all!"-L'Echc a man's best friend.

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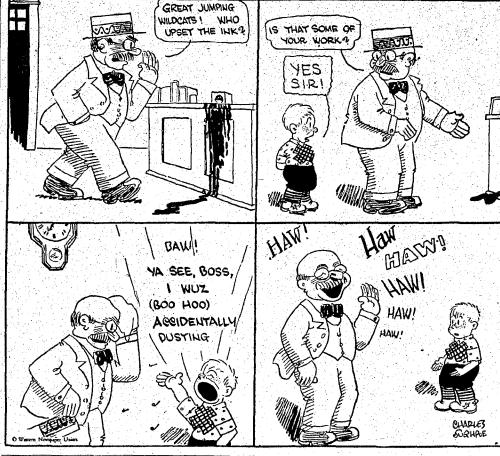
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### In a Hurry Too



### "Accidentally" Sounds Correct





Hubby: You'll ruin me with your extravagant Wifie: How? You never grati-fy them, do you?

An honest enemy often proves to be

e II OUCH! Furnace Shovel: There goes Mr. Kindling Wood and Mr. Coal. Stove Plate Yes, they're grate

Swallowing sage tea is no way drink in wisdom.

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Willie: What's ine meanin' of "Ultimatum" Pop: It's time enough to find wher

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#### FARM BUREAU NOTES.

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been organized from 500 gathering centers. Danish eggs bring remarkably high prices in London because they are scientifically handled and sold under absolute guarantee of being fresh. Almost every man or woman in the country belongs to one of the gathering associations.

At the time of becoming a member each one is solemnly pledged to furnish only fresh, candled eggs. If the pledge is broken, the member may be put under arrest and severely fined. The result is that no bad eggs are ever brought to gathering stations. The Danish farmer has learned that the most popular egg is the large white one. At the large breeding centers of poultry the effort is now being made to produce a cross between the Black

Minorcas and the Leghorn to supply

The great working factors in country life—school and church—have been able to hold their own against city influence. Strong churches and well organized schools in charge of devoted and very well trained men who are giving their lives to the work in the open country, live there as permanent guards against outside aggression. (We need more well trained men in the rural schools of Michigan. We need more ministers devoted to country life.)

Danish farmers have learned to take the right outlook on life. They have learned that agricultural life need not be a copy of city life; but, that, that can be complete in itself. Such farmers are no longer subject to newspaper cartooning or witty jokes.

that, that can be complete in itself. Such farmers are no longer subject to newspaper cartooning or witty jokes. They have found their strength, and are exerting it in a wholesome way for national improvement. (Why should not the farmers of the United States have Muscle Shoals making fertilizers for them if they want it so, instead of allowing a few powerful power and chemical companies to keep them from it by working on a few shyster Congressmen?)

In Denmark, with the conquest of the soil came new, hitherto unknown powers. The schools pointed the way. (The rural school in Michigan stands for little peculiar to rural life, or to fit people for it.) Small and middle-class farmers in Denmark are in full control of the government. Practically the entire cabinet, from prime minister down are men from rural communities. Most of the progressive agricultural and social legislation in recent years can be traced to these. Time was when after the Napoleonic wars, and the seizure of Slesvig and Holstein by the Germans, that crobe sleuth, took his first cue from wise old gardeners and Holstein by the Germans, that Denmark was the next thing to down who found that one of the surest preventives against germs is tobacco juice. Chew BEECH-NUT Chewing Tobacco and stay healthy. When all seemed lost, and the nation was sinking in a lethargy of despair, new voices were heard in the land. A new philosophy was being promulgated. It taught, that education must become universal, practical, and democratic, and that hereafter, Denmark's defense must be built on the foundation of broad intelligence rooted in the love of. God and home and native land. (We can afford to bear down on these a little harder here, too.)

The man who preached this new When all seemed lost, and the na Over 250 Million Packages Sold in a Single Year

of quality which may always be relied by Kristen Kold and others, he laid by kristen Rold and others, he laid the foundation for the folk high schools. The elementary schools, too, felt the new influence. The people were eager to listen and to act, The new spirit expressed itself in more ways than in schools, E. M. Dalgas and his co-workers began the The work of farmers is systematized and kept at a high point of perfection by an army of local agricultural ex-

in feeding; make soil analyses; give advice on how to fertilize; instruct in farm accounting; test cattle for tuber-culosis; and in other ways lend direct

Since the farmers have learned to direct their own government they have passed laws which forbid the

joining of several farms already es-tablished. The partition of larger farms or estates is encouraged. The

government encourages industrious farm laborers to become land owners

farm laborers to become land owners, by making direct long time loans for this purpose at 3 to 3½ per cent. While there are few large farms, Denmark is a country whose people large ly own their own farms, even though small. Recently there were 118,614 farms of 7 and 1-5 acres or less; 28,622 farms, contribute 111, to 29,14

992 farms containing 114 to 22% acres; 35,257 from 33% to 67% acres. Intensive small farming in Denmark is ever on the increase.

The great working factors in coun

The man who preached this new doctrine was Bishop Grundtvig. Aided

by an army of local agricultural experses, who were trained in special courses in rural agricultural schools. In more ways than in schools, E. M. Dalgas and his co-workers began the of anything like that; and how far short of this good farming the average north Michigan farmer is!)

These local agricultural specialists test the milk for butter fat; instruct the specialists that the milk for butter fat; instruct the specialists are the specialists to the milk for butter fat; instruct the specialists and had been reclaimed as had

In a life time almost as much till-able land had been reclaimed as had been lost to the enemy. Svend Hogs-boro, and others drew the farmers inboro, and others drew the farmers into a remarkable system of co-operative buying, producing and selling associations, which are now the envy and marvel of the world.

A new era of national prosperity came mainly through scientific agriculture taught to all the people in all the schools.

assistance to farming. These local agricultural agents are followed by the farmers, (lucky agricultural agent!) and the farmers prosper. To systematize, to perfect, and to remove all waste is the plan.

(Continued next week) NOTICE TO AUTO OWNERS.

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beyond January 1, but to avoid congestion, and give people an opportunity to secure their 1925 plates without the rush and jam that occurs the first of the year, the local brauch office will start issuing 1925 plates very soon after December first.

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Probably, Yes. Probably some men meander around

all night for the purpose of satisfying themselves that there is no place like

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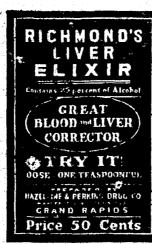
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ner as may be lawful.

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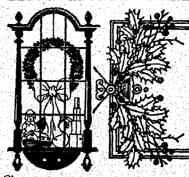
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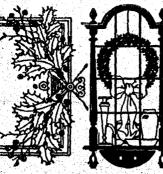
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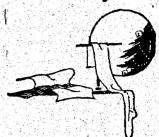
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